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REMEMBER THE HOME

My business during the month of August was very gratifying considering that it was a summer month. But the Fall of the year is here now and it is time to fix up the home for the coming winter, and we desire to push our business during September. Our house is full of choice goods of all kinds of furniture. We desire to call especial attention to our

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LODGERS PERISH IN FLAMES

Ten Persons Known to Have Burned up in Hotel Fire, Near Tacoma, Wa.
No Elevator, no Escape.

Tacoma, Wash., Sept. 5.—Ten persons are known to be dead, and one, other dying, as a result of a disastrous fire which originated in the annex of the Webb hotel at Shelton, 20 miles north of here, at 1:40 o'clock this morning. Several other persons are missing and it is feared that their bodies are in the ruins of the hotel.

The hotel building was a solidly built frame structure, three stories in height. It has both side and front stairs, but no elevator. When the fire was discovered at 1:40 o'clock this morning the flames had gained such headway that all those sleeping on the third floor were cut off from the stairs.

On the top floor, in addition to the other guests a number of lodgers were sleeping, but it is impossible to learn just how many of these men were there.

Court House Notes

Deputy John Chapman this morning took to the Ardmore jail three prisoners. One of them was Dr. Breco, the slayer of Dr. Coffey. Bond in the sum of \$5,000 had been granted him but the order of release did not arrive in time to prevent his transportation to Ardmore and probably Dr. Breco will be released by Saturday morning. The other two prisoners were Elmira Jones, and Charles Taylor, a

colored pair in durance vile on charge of adultery

Wilbur Benight, a tie man, under a charge of disposing of mortgaged property, made bond for \$300 and was released.

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10,000 PEOPLE HEAR BRYAN

Vast Audience Cheers While Great Commoner Defends the Constitution and Tears Taft's Speech to Tatters.

Oklahoma City, Sept. 6.—"Adopt the constitution now," said William Jennings Bryan in his reply to Secretary Taft's recent attack on the constitution of Oklahoma City at Convention Hall last night, "because it is the best constitution in the United States. I am here to repeat and reiterate my former statement that it is a better constitution than the constitution of the United States. Our forefathers said adopt the federal constitution now and amend it afterwards. I say to you, adopt your constitution now and amend it afterwards, if it needs it."

"I have come," continued Mr. Bryan "to address myself especially to the recent statements of Secretary Taft when he declared that your constitution was no constitution at all."

Then in a manner lucid enough for the least educated man in the audience, he took up the recent speech of Secretary Taft piece at a time and replied to it in argument so strong, so plain, so well illustrated that none could help but understand.

Argument against every feature of Secretary Taft's speech which was in opposition to the constitution and statehood was submitted in a concise, logical, convincing manner.

A thorough discussion of the benefits to be derived from the initiative and referendum clause of the constitution and the action of the legislatures of South Dakota, Montana, Oregon, Maine, and Ohio on the same proposition were cited.

After having spoken of the many good features of the constitution in reply to Secretary Taft's criticism, Mr. Bryan then asked the people of the new state what they intended to do to reward the men who helped to draft the document. He urged that the five men who are on the ticket be supported and voted into office. He especially praised C. N. Haskell, democratic nominee for governor, T. P. Gore, Robert L. Owens and E. L. Fulton.

Failing to catch the M. K. & T train out of Kansas City, Mr. Bryan did not reach Vinita until 11:00 o'clock over the Frisco. He spoke there for thirty minutes and was then taken on the special train chartered by the democratic state committee, to Tulsa.

An audience of more than 3,000 persons, who heard Mr. Bryan at Tulsa, was addressed by C. N. Haskell, the nominee for governor, while waiting for the arrival of the noted Nebraskan.

At Tulsa, 5,000 persons stood at the depot for several hours waiting for the arrival of the special, being addressed by Miss Kate Barnard, candidate for commissioner of charities and corrections, during the time. In his speech at Tulsa Mr. Bryan referred with regret to the death of Chief Pleasant Porter of the Creek Nation, recalling that on his former trip through Indian Territory, Chief Porter had accompanied him and introduced him to numerous audiences.

At Sapulpa a stop of 45 minutes was made while the democratic leader talked to the audience of 6,000 persons assembled to hear him.

No stop was scheduled for Bristow, but a crowd of 2,000 persons were waiting at the depot as the train pulled in; and a stop of seven minutes was made while Mr. Bryan spoke from the rear platform of the car.

The largest crowd of the day aside from the Oklahoma City meeting, was at Chandler, Okla., which was reached at 7 o'clock in the evening. The crowd was estimated at from seven thousand to ten thousand persons and gave the closest attention while Mr. Bryan for 45 minutes defined the constitution and explained its meritorious points.

The special reached Oklahoma City at 9:15 o'clock and Mr. Bryan was taken immediately to Convention Hall where he began his address.

Before 7:30 o'clock more than 2,000 persons had gathered on the platform and in the streets surrounding the depot to get a glimpse of the great

commoner, as he alighted from the special. Although the train was more than an hour late, scarcely more than a half dozen persons left the station and the people eagerly awaited the appearance of the defender of Oklahoma's constitution. As the train drew into the station, prolonged cheers greeted his arrival. The greatest enthusiasm was displayed as Bryan alighted from the train and was whisked away to Convention Hall where fully 10,000 persons were fanning and prespiring from the intense heat. The entrances to the hall were packed until passage was impossible. Every seat was filled in the hall, which has a seating capacity of more than 6,000. Standing room in the aisles was almost fought for among those who stood throughout the speech of more than two hours length without an indication of weariness, so intent was the interest manifested.

TEXAS STATE FAIR SHOWS.

Some of the attractions in Amusement Park at Dallas This Year.

Dallas, Sept. 6.—More than one hundred new shows will constitute the amusement department at the State Fair of Texas at its 22nd annual meet this fall—October 19th to November 3rd. In addition to the permanent attractions already on the ground, there will be an aggregation of the latest and most ingenious amusements and educative attractions gathered from all parts of the world. In this carnival center of the Fair will be Turks, Arabs, Cinghalese, Beduins, Igor-rites, Turcomans from the steppes of Asia, and Japanese, all wearing their national costumes wherever they go and adding a cosmopolitan coloring to each day's gathering. The management of the fair promises visitors all that is instructive, elevating, entertaining, and the best in the world of music, the field of novelty and the sphere of sensations.

One of the interesting as well as amusing attractions will be the educated fleas. These fleas go through a regular performance, do acrobatic feats, parade about in military order, are harnessed together and do other astonishing stunts. The circus is owned by W. T. Turner, of St. Louis. "Constantinople" is the title of an Oriental Concessions, at present playing at Point of Pines, near Boston, Mass. This concession brings with it seventy orientals—Arabians, Cinghalese, Beduins and Turks. The famous Arabian troupe of acrobates

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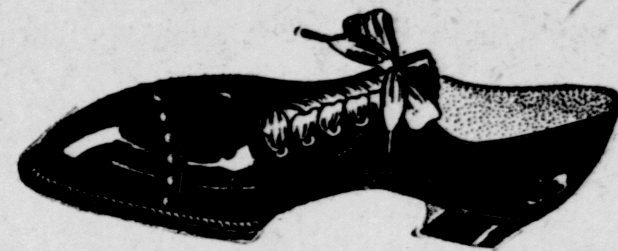


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brought to this country to exhibit at the Chicago World's Fair will be seen in "Constantinople." The band includes wrestlers, whirling dervishes, pyramid performers, sword dancers, etc. This troupe accompanied Buffalo Bill's show on its last trip to Europe. The Cinghalese dancers will be a special feature of this show. These Cinghalese inflict self-torture and their endurance is considered by all to be the most remarkable of any people in the world. They come from the Island of Ceylon, and are among the best educated of oriental people. The Turks will exhibit dexterity in sword plays and dances. The strangest of all will be the Hindu magicians, whose mysterious art it would be impossible to describe. There will be twelve oriental dancing girls, including La Belle Fatima, of World's Fair fame; Saleka, Freeda and the princess Rajah, who created a profound and distinct sensation in Europe, while with Buffalo Bill's show.

Permanent amusements have been constructed on the Fair Grounds at the cost of over one hundred thousand dollars. The scenic railway, Shoot the Shoots, Tours of the World, Katzenjammer Kids, Hall of Mirth, Figure Eight, Spectacular Theatre, etc.

promise to make Amusement Park one of the most popular sections of the Fair. 144-It 22-11

LATE CENSUS FIGURES.

Seminole Towns Show Up With Small Populations.

Guthrie, Okla., Sept. 6.—According to the returns of the special census the population of Enid city, Okla., is 10,097, as compared with 3,444 in 1900, an increase in seven years of 6,643, or 192.9 per cent. The population in 1907 by w

The population of Seminole county is 14,687, distributed by municipal townships as follows:

Brown municipal township including Wewoka town, 2,270; Econtuska municipal township, including Seminole town, 3,227; Konawa municipal township, including Konawa town, 2,890; Lincoln municipal township, 1,367; Miller municipal township, including Sasakwa town, 2,001; Redmond municipal township, 1,314; Wolf municipal township, 1,608.

Population of certain towns included in above townships.

Konawa town, 620; Sasakwa town, 237; Seminole town, 206; Wewoka town, 794.

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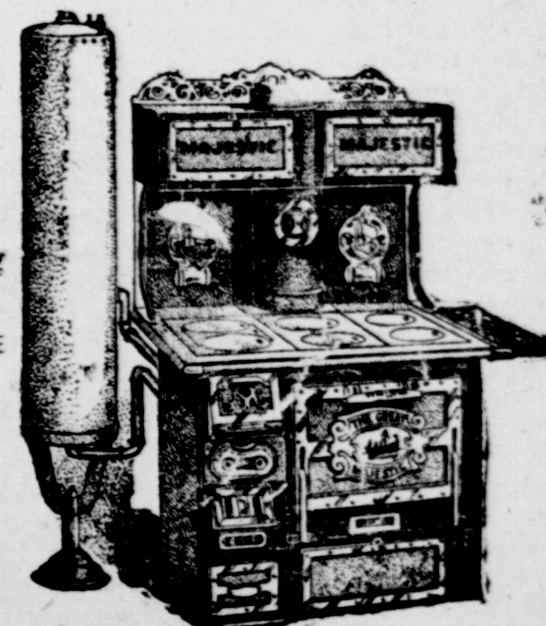
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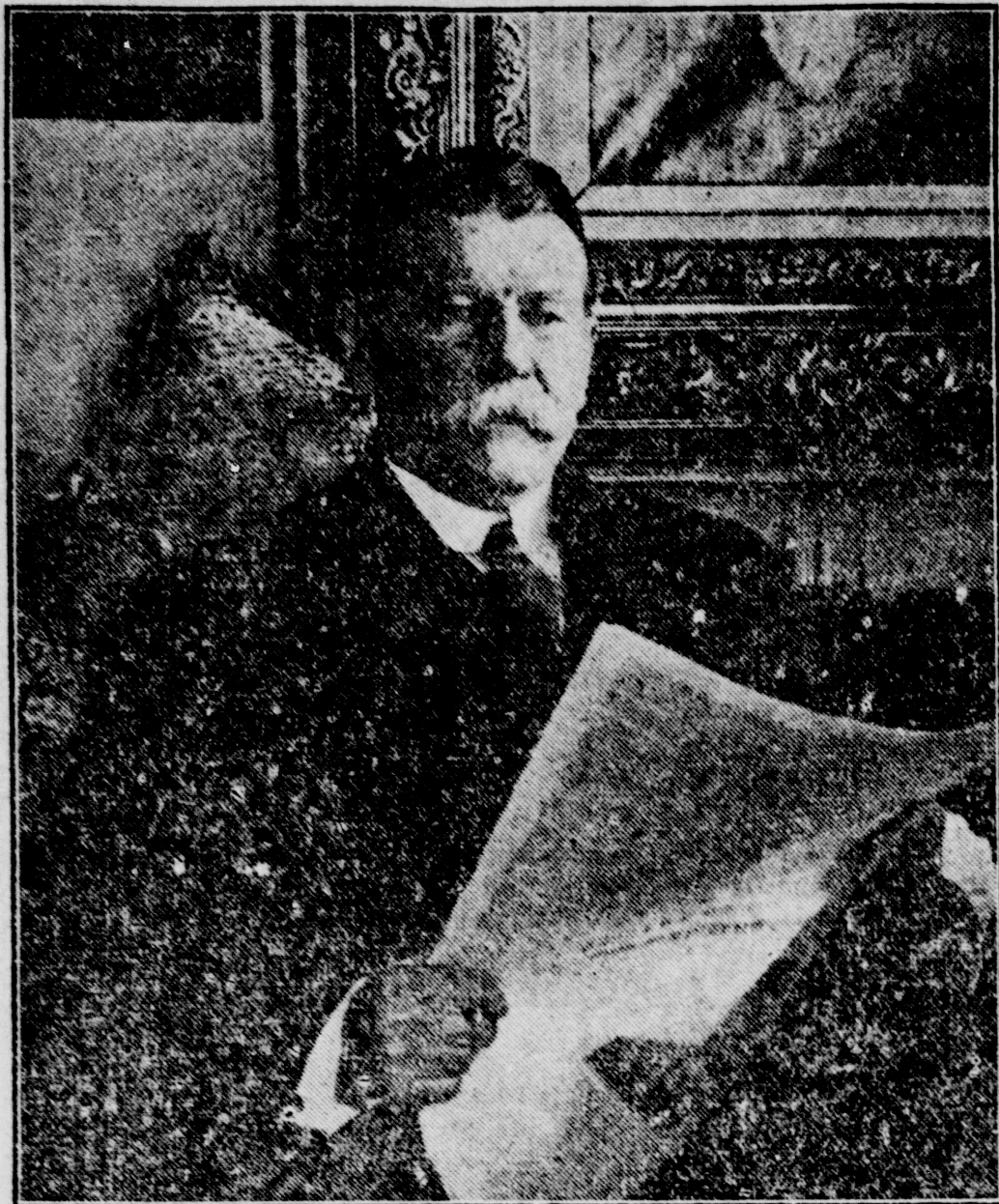
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Former ambassador to France who will go to the Hague peace tribunal as one of America's representatives. Gen. Porter is a noted diplomat, military officer and public speaker.

IS LAST OF AN ODD BAND.

REMNANT OF MICHIGAN ALTRUISTIC COOPERATIVE COLONY.

Porter Whitford Only Survivor of Enterprise Started at Galesburg in 1838—Thousands of Acres Once Cultivated.

Galesburg, Mich.—The last survivor of the only altruistic cooperative society ever attempted in this quarter of the state is Porter H. Whitford, 80 years old, who came to this village, then a backwoods crossroads, in 1838, and has since taken part in most public events of the community.

When the Alphasdelphian society, organized on the plan of the "Brook Farm" of literary fame, was established near Galesburg by about 300 farmers in 1843 Whitford was one of the young leaders. He was married to a daughter of one of the older officers of the society when Alphasdelphia hall, the principal building of the organization, was opened.

All essential trades then known in the frontier community were represented among the members, most of whom were New Yorkers. All property was turned into the common account and farms were used as "outside" residences by the men formerly owning them if they wished.

Many thousands of acres were thus used by the community, which took at first a highly intellectual standard, but later broke up because of the discontent of some who saw other farmers getting rich on the old competitive plan.

After a few years the men began to withdraw from the colony to work for themselves and finally the buildings where the socialistic dreams of the founders had been worked out were sold to the county for use on its poor farm near by.

A thrifty member got possession of 1,000 acres of the best land, which has made his descendants rich. Whitford alone remains of the many who took part in the colony life of the Alphasdelphians.

A legend hangs about the spot where the old hall stood. It is that at the time of the disbandment one of the members who had been begging his comrades to stand together for the common good accidentally discovered an old kettle filled with coin of French

denominations, which had apparently been buried by Indians during some forgotten tribal war many years before. The money was concealed within a short distance from Alphasdelphia hall.

The man went west and was afterward found to have somehow acquired a large amount of money at the time of his going.

DISEASE LAID TO TROLLEY.

Doctor Finds Car Men Afflicted with Malady.

Elwood, Ind.—Renal calculus is the name of a disease that attacks motormen and conductors who are daily coming in contact with the high tension electric current of the Indiana Union Traction lines, says Dr. T. C. Armfield, one of the oldest practitioners in this city.

He says that it is superinduced by handling the trolley pole while it is in contact with the trolley wire, the controller wrench, when the current is on, by imperfect connections causing the iron and brass work on the cars to become electrified, and by other similar conditions.

It causes a mild paralysis by turning the small corpuscles of blood into coagulated matter, thus closing the pores, preventing the perspiration from exuding from the body, and later poisoning the system.

John Mohler, a motorman on the Tipton-Alexandria branch, was stricken with the new malady just as his car reached this city, and had to be carried to a physician's office for treatment. After strong restoratives were administered by the hypodermic method, he was removed to his home at Tipton.

Renal calculus attacks slowly, says the medical man, and it was this that prevented an accident here to-day, as the motorman felt the pain coming on, classed it as pleurisy and, calling the conductor, turned his car over to him just before the steep grade was reached on entering the city.

Sticks Out Tongue at Kaiser.

Berlin.—A tipsy laborer named Bruening, who one morning last November put out his tongue at the Kaiser as his majesty went past in an automobile, has just been condemned to nine months' imprisonment.

HOBOS AT A BANQUET

KNIGHTS OF THE ROAD "FEED" AT SWELL CHICAGO HOTEL.

Over One Hundred Attend Representative Gathering—Washington Flat Fails to Appear as Toastmaster, Owing to Police.

Chicago.—The hobos' banquet, given by the Brotherhood Welfare association at the Windsor-Cliff hotel the other night, was a huge success despite several little drawbacks, such as the nonattendance of Washington Flat, the toastmaster, who was driven out of town early in the afternoon by the police, and the departure of Philadelphia Jack and The Dancing Kid for San Francisco before the beer was served. They explained that they had to catch the 11:15 "Q" freight.

Dr. Ben L. Reitman and his aids in the new organization had searched the highways and byways of the city for a representative gathering of hobos and bums and beggars and they found them. There were more than a hundred present—some from the Bridewell, others from the municipal lodging house, Hogan's Flop, the New York house, and the barrel houses of West Madison street.

Several incidents marred the occasion, but no one minded. Fred the Bum, who was down for a speech on "Why I Hang Around Barrel Houses," picked up two many drinks before he came to the banquet and was found under the table when his name was called. "Shoestring Chase," a panhandler, scandalized his fellows when he was found improving the golden occasion by passing his hat among the hotel guests during a lull in the banquet.

A No. One, known as the Absent Member ("and never blamed the booze, boys"), whose name is written on every water tank between New York and Boston, and Yoken-Whitely, another professional hobo, threatened to depart at one stage of the speech-making, because the speakers were "not representative."

"Why, they don't know the diff between a hobo and a bum," said A. No. One. "I wouldn't associate with a snide that carries the banner. Why don't they let a smart man talk?"

After a dinner as good as a group of bankers or merchants could want, the long program began. Bum Mitt Casey interspersed the course with big chews of tobacco, and Fred the Bum insisted on singing "Where Is My Wandering Boy To-Night?"

The regular program began with a poem by Chicago Tommy, entitled "The Face on the Barroom Floor." It was a long poem, recited with deep gravity, and was the story of a hobo, Ostler Joe, who told a crowd of saloon loafers how he had fallen, illustrating his story by drawing the face of his lost angel wife in chalk on the floor, and then falling dead. It had a mighty effect.

Fred the Bum was called on, but could not respond, so his chum, the Rocky Mountain Lemon, got up to respond. He started off nobly, saying: "They do not love who do not show their love," but A. No. One yelled: "Sit down. You're no hobo. You work. You ain't respectable." So the Lemon sat down.

John Smith, a hard faced young man with a collar on, told why the criminal has a hard face. He said he had spent 14 years in penitentiaries, beginning his first term at the age of 14. He said it was worry that made the lines.

Old Man Steers, 76 years of age, told a pitiful story of seeking work in Chicago, and how he was turned down everywhere. "My father told me never to be afraid of work," he said, "and I attribute my failure to the fact that I followed Horace Greeley's advice and came west."

Willie, the ex-society man, told how to reform society. He wore a genteel brown beard, a collar, and held his cigar according to the best custom. The Louisville Kid recited a poem called "The Scale."

German Fritz and Ohio Skip, down on the program, left word they had gone to New York on the bumpers. Before the Dancing Kid left for Frisco he sang a song about "There's always a Mother Waiting at Home for You."

CLERK WINS A FORTUNE.

Speculates in Wheat and Is Now One of Wichita's Richest Men.

Wichita, Kan.—From telegraph operator, working on a salary of less than \$100 a month, to affluence and a fortune within five years, is the record of Arthur Pauline, who in one day cleared \$150,000 by speculating in wheat.

Pauline has been a resident of Wichita about 20 years. During most of that time he has been employed as an operator. At spare times he did work on the wire for commission men, gaining an insight of the methods of the market, which he turned to advantage when the opportunities presented themselves. As a result, he is to-day classed among the wealthiest citizens of Wichita.

Wheat was low when Pauline began to buy, around the 70 cent mark. He held on to the wheat he bought until the market was over one dollar then he sold. Something like \$25,000 was the result of his investment. He invested the proceeds in Wichita property. That, too, proved a good investment, and he was enabled two years later to clear \$100,000 by the same method. In the recent rise of wheat he bought for 76½ cents and sold at \$77½ cents, clearing \$150,000.

HINTS FOR THE HOUSEWIFE.

Alcohol will remove candle grease. All vegetables should be put into boiling water.

A brush dipped in salt water should be used in cleaning bamboo furniture.

All corks should be washed, thoroughly dried and kept for any future use.

Varnished woodwork can be easily cleaned and brightened with crude oil.

If you wish to peel onions and keep cheerful take off the skins under water.

A little raw linseed oil rubbed upon a stovepipe will stop rust; cover the places with a little blacking and polish.

When running brass rods through window curtains, put an old glove finger over the end that is being pushed through the hem. Unless this is done the material is apt to tear.

Cas burners, like other things, are apt to get dirty. Very often there is quite a little collection of rubbish on them, and if this is cleared away the improvement in the light is very noticeable.

Salt moistened with vinegar will remove burnt marks from enameled saucepans and dishes; but don't forget that they should be soaked in cold soda water for a few hours first to loosen the stains.

CARE OF PICTURE FRAMES.

May Be Cleaned and Freshened with Little Trouble.

The gilt frames of pictures or mirrors, if they are not so far gone as to require gilding, may be cleaned by first a simple washing with spirits of wine or oil of turpentine.

Take a small sponge and, having wet it in either of these liquids, wring it out thoroughly and then apply. The gilt should not be wiped afterwards in order to dry it; leave it to dry of itself.

Gold paint comes in very nicely when the frames are somewhat bare and worn, and want more than a simple washing. But before applying it, be careful to have the surfaces perfectly clean.

With a small soft brush or duster remove all dust, then gently wash with lukewarm water and a mild toilet soap. After the frame has been thus thoroughly cleansed, then apply your gold paint.

Do not wet the frame overmuch when washing it, for this would remove all the old gilding. A tightly wrung sponge is the best thing to use.

Creamed Tongue (Calves).

This is a new dish, hailing from Philadelphia, and while tasting much like sweetbreads is even more delicate. The tongue used is calves', and it may be prepared the day before using. Boil in salted water until tender, then cool in the water in which it was cooked. Peel and trim off all the rough pieces about the roof, then slice in small pieces. When ready to cream in the chafing dish put into the blazer two tablespoonsful of butter, and three level tablespoonfuls of flour. When bubbly and blended add a cup and a half of milk or cream, half a tea spoonful of salt, a dash of cayenne, a grating of nutmeg and a tablespoonful of minced parsley. Stir until smooth and creamy, add two cupfuls of the sliced tongue, stir until heated thoroughly, then take up on a hot dish and set over the hot water pan while you prepare the potatoes.

Cleaning Plumes.

Shave and boil one-half bar of naphtha soap in a granite basin. When thoroughly dissolved add this to a washbowl of warm soft water. Put the plumes in and let remain for about 15 minutes, moving it around in the bowl. After the dirt is loosened up take water of the same temperature to rinse it in. Now lay it on a table or oilcloth and with a soft brush, such as an old toothbrush, brush it gently in outward strokes, using soap on the brush if necessary. Put it under the faucet, and let the water run on it until it is thoroughly clear of the soap. Squeeze the water out, but do not twist the feather. Hold it firmly in the palm of the hand. Pin to a curtain to dry with the head up, and the fibers falling down toward the end.

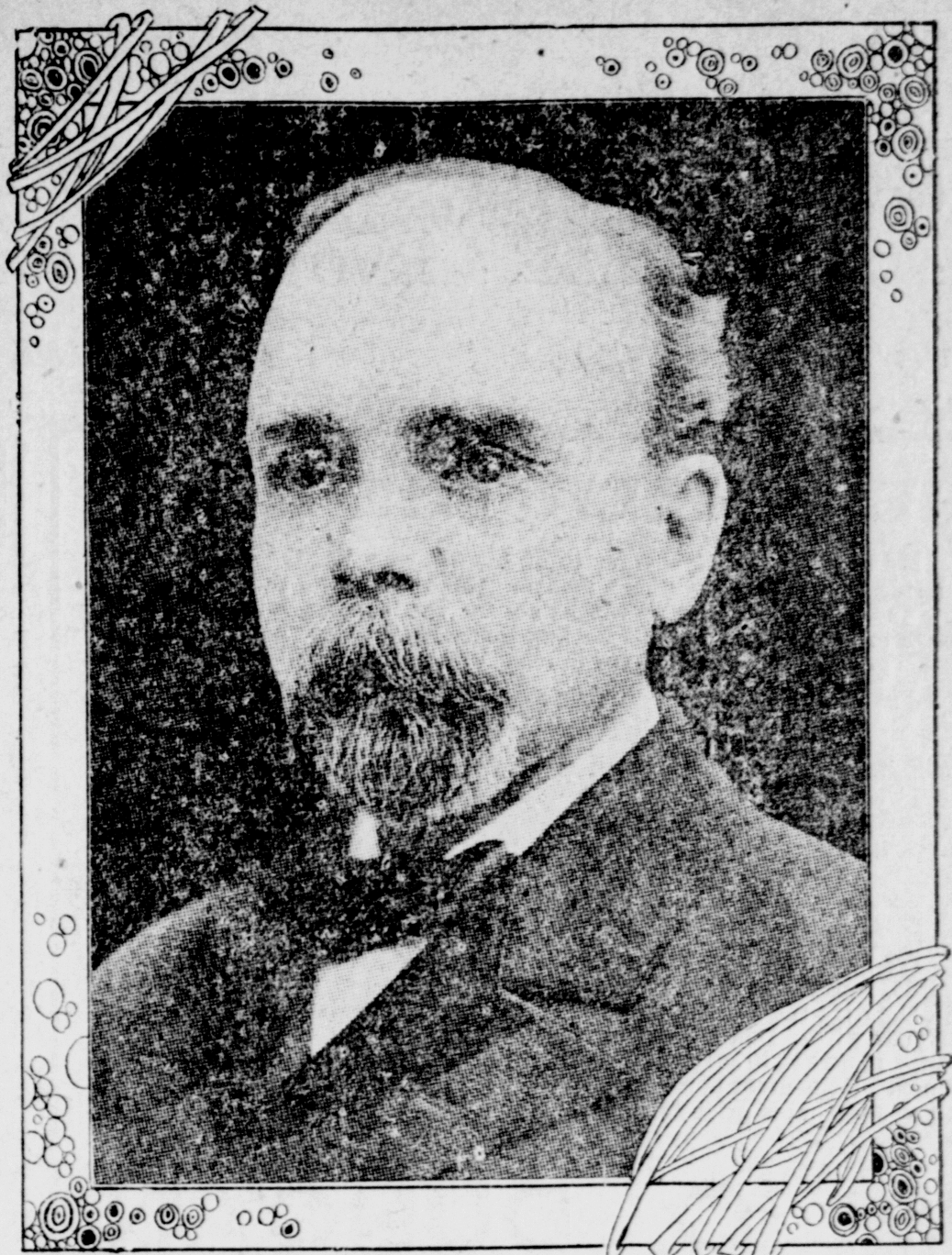
Taking Ink Stains From Linen.

Turpentine and soap will remove ink stains from linen. A few drops added to water in which clothes are boiled will whiten them. Turpentine will exterminate roaches and also moths if sprinkled about. Turpentine will remove wheel grease, pitch and tar stains. A few drops on a woolen cloth will clean tan shoes nicely. Ivory knife handles that become yellow can be restored to their former whiteness by rubbing with turpentine. Carpets can be cleaned and colors restored by going over occasionally with a broom dipped in warm water in which a little turpentine is added. An equal mixture of turpentine and linseed oil will remove white spots from furniture caused by water.

Preserved Pineapple.

Select ripe fruit, pare, and with a small-pointed silver knife carefully remove the eyes. Now cut the apple in small square pieces, rejecting the core, or shred it with a fork. Weigh, and allow three-quarters of a pound of sugar to each pound of fruit. Put all together in a preserving kettle, stir well and stand in a cool place overnight. In the morning bring slowly to a boil, skim, and cook gently for half or three-quarters of an hour. Pour into jars and seal. A tablespoonful of brandy poured in the mouth of the jar just before sealing adds to the richness of the fruit and prevents its softening.

Holds Important Post.



MARTIN A. KNAPP

Mr. Knapp is chairman of the Interstate Commerce Commission and upon him devolves, in a great measure, the task of solving the relations of the country's railroads to the government.

MONSTER SHIPS BUILT.

NATIONS ORDERING HUGE VESSELS FOR WAR PURPOSES.

Thirty-Five Monsters of Destruction to Be Added to Battle Craft Afloat by Fall—United States Ships Large.

London.—The epidemic of monster battleships is spreading. By the close of the present summer no fewer than 35 of these enormous craft will have been completed, begun or ordered, but of these 35 only seven will fly the British flag. The other 28 belong to foreign powers, and this is the first time in the history of the British navy that it has been so grievously outnumbered in the most powerful type of ship.

The monster battleships building, completed or to be laid down before the close of the summer of 1907 are as follows:

England—Four Dreadnoughts, three Invincibles; total, seven.

Germany—Four Dreadnoughts, two Invincibles; total, six.

France—Six Dantons; total, six.

Japan—Four monster battleships, two monster cruisers; total, six.

South American republics—Six Dreadnoughts; total, six.

United States—Two Michigans, two Pacificators; total, four.

All these ships have been ordered since January, 1905. In the five years January, 1900, to January, 1905, the same group of powers laid down or ordered 47 first-class battleships, of which 16 were British. Thus in the Dreadnought era the British proportion has enormously declined. In 1905-7 it is only 20 per cent of the battleships of the great naval powers; in 1900-4 it was 44 per cent.

Another point is very striking. In 1900-4 the British battleships were, on the whole, more powerful and larger than those of rival nations, the sole exception being the United States. But in 1905-7 many of the foreign battleships and armored cruisers are large, and more powerful than the British ships, so that the numerical disadvantage is now accompanied by a disadvantage in quality of ships. Three German, four Japanese and two United States ships will be larger than any vessel that the United Kingdom possesses.

It is true that to the above total of British monster ships should be added to battleships which will be begun about January, 1908, and possibly a third, which may be commenced in March, 1908. But, even so, the British total will be only ten, and will

still be below the proportion of a few years ago.

Not only this, but for the first time in the history of the British navy the two-power standard in large armored ships will have been abandoned. The two-power standard, as defined by Mr. Palfour in the house of commons this year, is equality in numbers to the fleets of any two powers plus a margin of ten per cent. As there are three different groups of two powers, each of which is building 12 monster ships, this involves for England 14 monster ships in reply. But when even the ship to be begun so late as March of next year is counted England has only ten and of the ten some may be whittled away by parliament.

CHIHUAHUA DOGS DYING OUT.

Breed of Small, Hairless Canines Becoming Hopelessly Mixed.

Washington.—Consul General A. L. M. Gottschalk, of the City of Mexico, in responding to numerous inquiries from persons in the United States in regard to the purchasing of Chihuahua dogs, says:

"The Chihuahua dog, which as late as 25 years ago was quite commonly to be found in Mexico, is a curious little creature popularly supposed to be a cross breed between the prairie dog and the jack rabbit. The animal resembles a small dog whose weight is sometimes not over one and one-half pounds, with a disproportionately large head, bulging eyes and long ears. The hair is usually scanty, showing the pink skin underneath. One of the marks is said to be an unclosed cranial fissure through which the brain can be felt throbbing under the skin. These little animals are particularly destructive, and are constantly scratching at things with their long claws. They are quite susceptible to training if taken young and in numerous instances the breed has been domesticated, although they seldom show the usual dog traits of sagacious and intelligent attachment."

"Unfortunately within the last 25 years the breed has become so largely mixed with small dogs of various mongrel types that it is now a most difficult thing to find in Mexico an example of the true breed. Such are sold occasionally at prices ranging from 200 Mexican pesos (\$99.60 United States currency) upward. Even in Chihuahua these dogs are very rare. A few recent specimens sold in this city are said to have been of the true breed."

FAMOUS INDIAN CHIEF GOES INSANE.

Geronimo Is Guarded Constantly by Apache Scouts.

Lawton, Okla.—Chief Geronimo, the great Apache warrior, who is said to have scalped more white people than any other living Indian, and who for 20 years has been a prisoner of war on the Fort Sill military reservation, near here, is reported by an Apache Indian to have completely lost his mind and has to be guarded almost night and day by Apache scouts in the government service.

He wandered away from home the other day and was not seen until nightfall, being discovered about dark wandering carelessly near Fort Sill, watching the highways and murmuring to himself. A carriage approached and he galloped toward it with a ferocious grin that frightened the occupants. He was taken to

charge by two scouts who came up and prevented him following the party.

Geronimo is believed to have grown demented because of the refusal of the war department and the president to grant him liberty or permission to return to Arizona, the scene of his many devastations of villages and slaughtering of whites.

Since his last appeal to the president he has been morose and a few weeks ago his wife, the eighth of his career, left him to return no more.

Prize for Proposal in Park.

Cleveland, O.—Chief Goldsoll of the park police wants notice of the first proposal of marriage in the city parks this spring. He has something nice for a present for the first bride of the summer whose wedding is the outcome of a proposal in the parks.

DEVIL'S TOWER MADE RESERVE

Rock Rises 800 Feet Above Surrounding Country.

Deadwood, S. D.—President Roosevelt has issued an order setting aside the Devil's tower, a peculiar geographical formation in northeastern Wyoming, as a national monument and a federal reserve. Nearly 2,000 acres of land also are set aside with the tower. This reserve will be under the care of the general land office of that district, no entries will be allowed on it, and every effort will be made to protect the tower from injury.

This Devil's tower is a chimney-like mountain of rock that rises 800 feet above the surrounding country, and for almost 500 feet is nearly perpendicular and devoid of any growth of vegetation. The top of the tower is large enough in area for a baseball team to play a good game and is covered with a scant soil formed from the disintegrated rock and bearing moss, cactus and ferns.

Two men are known to have climbed this tower at the risk of their lives. One of them was Jack Rogers, an old cowboy, and the other was Arthur Jobe, a young engineer for the Homestake Mining company.

The tower stands on the bank of the upper Belle Fourche river, and has been for years one of the landmarks

of the country. It was at one time included in an entry made by Miss Kent, an English woman, who filed on a homestead including this mountain. The entry afterward was canceled.

To Paint Whole Town Green.

Brokaw, Wis.—Wisconsin is going to have a real green town, and Brokaw is the place. The Wausau Paper Mills company, which owns practically the whole town, has awarded a contract to William Laatsch of this city to give every house, barn and other building in this place a coat of green paint. The contract price is \$1,300. The new church will be the one building in town which will stand out in cream color of brick. Mr. Laatsch expects to begin work this week and finish before July 1. There are 52 dwelling houses here.

Girl's Skirt Offends Nation.

Vienna.—The Roumanian colors of red and yellow are forbidden in Austria-Hungary, and the other day the daughter of a local magistrate in Grossbutyn, Hungary, was arrested for wearing a skirt of striped red and yellow. The police ordered her to take it off there and then, and when she refused a crowd collected. Finally the offending skirt was taken off in private.

When is Woman in Her Prime?

The Growing List of Women Who Marry Men Many Years Younger Than Themselves Seems to Show that Charms Are No Longer Certain to Wane Beyond Forty-Five and Even Fifty.

New York.—Is there ever a time in a woman's life when the possibility of romance is dead? Is her heart ever steeled to Cupid's shafts? What is a woman's prime of life, anyway? These are serious questions. They have been asked since the beginning of time; doubtless they will be asked to its end. But never has an answer been more frequently demanded than right now in this twentieth century. Practical as it is, these times are far from being shorn of romance.

In youth, in age, woman's power of loving seems always just the same. One day we have maidenly May marrying hoary-bearded December. Next we have mustached May the blushing bridegroom of motherly December. It is all the same—the only safe answer to the question is that there doesn't seem to be any woman in the world who can finally put aside romance for the more practical things of life.

And who could have given more prominence to this very thing than Miss Ellen Terry, premier Shakespearean actress of two continents. She has recently taken to herself a third husband—James Carew. They were married on March 22 last in Pittsburgh by Justice of the Peace Campbell.

Terry's Youthful Husband.

The Pennsylvania law requires certain questions. Young Mr. Carew said he was born in Indiana and was an actor by profession. He owned up to 32 years, but he looked younger. Miss Terry told that she had been married twice before—divorced once and widowed the second time. She gave her birthday as February 27, 1848.

Romance has always played a part in the life of Mrs. Charles T. Yerkes-Mizner. When as the beautiful Mary Adelaide Moore of Philadelphia she met Charles T. Yerkes he was not the multi-millionaire that he was when he died. He had been out of the penitentiary but a little while; still the golden-haired girl loved him and he loved her. They were married. Wealth came faster and faster.

Mr. Yerkes became one of the foremost traction men of this country and Europe. He had a beautiful Chicago home, but Mrs. Yerkes wanted another in New York. So the multi-millionaire built another one—a great brownstone pile in upper Fifth avenue.

He died on December 29, 1905. Within a month along came a handsome six-foot Californian, Wilson Mizner by name. He had a way with the women that was wonderful, and in the Golden West he had left a reputation as a lady's man which would be hard to duplicate.

He had known Mrs. Yerkes for about a year. He called to express his grief at her sorrow. Here again pity was akin to love. His sympathy was so apparently genuine, his solicitude so tender that the widow was touched very deeply.

Admits Mistake in Marriage.

Young Mr. Mizner himself felt the call of Cupid. From commiseration he turned to courtship; he won an easy victory after a whirlwind attack on the citadel of the widow's heart. Within a month after Mr. Yerkes' death they were quietly married.

But here the romance died a-borning. Mr. Mizner soon shook the dust of Fifth avenue from his feet, and Mrs. Yerkes-Mizner declared that it had all been a mistake.

But now the case of Mizner vs. Mizner is even before the court.

Death alone robbed Mrs. Frank Leslie of a fourth marriage. When the Marquis de Campallegre, a Spanish noble, died in Paris recently, Mrs. Leslie—that is the name by which she chooses to be known—told to her friends that she had promised to be his bride. Her trousseau had already been made in Paris, the wedding set for early this month.

But the marquis suddenly passed away. And now Mrs. Leslie has sailed for Europe to join the marquis' family.

Many Times Married.

Mrs. Leslie was the beautiful Miriam Florence Folline of New Orleans. Her first husband was E. G. Squier, afterward United States commissioner to Peru, from whom she separated. She then married Frank Leslie, the rich publisher. After his death she became a bride for the third time, marrying "Willie" Wilde, brother of

the late Oscar Wilde. She divorced this husband because he was too much of a spendthrift, among other things.

Romance has always played a foremost role in the life of Patti, the divine. New York has known her these 50 years and more, but Europe has been the place where she has ever fallen prey to Cupid's darts.

The great diva was born in 1843, the morning after her mother, Mme. Barilli had sung Norma with great eclat. In 1851, Patti, at the tender age of eight, was also singing, but her real debut was in this city in 1859. Her singing made a furore; her success was instantaneous.

Seven years later she met the Marquis de Caux, of an honored French family. They were both in love and a marriage was arranged by no less a personage than the Empress Eugenie.

Won Heart of Diva.

Then in 1871 she met the tenor, Ernesto Nicolini. For Patti he changed the whole current of the diva's life. Signor Nicolini was a singer of no very remarkable ability. The great songstress loathed the man, who persisted in following her all over Europe, though there was a Signora Nicolini and several little Nicolinis.

But Nicolini was persistence itself. He was a friend of the Marquis de Caux, who found out one day how matters stood. He forbade the singer the house. This made the diva furious. He also refused to allow his wife to sing. This was the last straw. They separated; a divorce was finally obtained in 1884. The Nicolinis were made twin, too.

Then Patti and Nicolini were married. It was then Nicolini grew in the estimation of the world. He loved his new wife devotedly. He was the lover-like husband always.

And Patti loved him, too. When Nicolini fell ill of cancer of the tongue no one could nurse him but she. When he died she was inconsolable.

Then came the Baron Cederstrom, a young Swedish nobleman, 35 years old. They met at Pau, ten years ago. He fell heels over head in love with the woman with the wonderful voice.

of England's foremost politicians, made a trip to America and fell in love with the clever New York girl. Their marriage in Grace church was a notable event.

The pair returned to England. Lady Randolph's tact and cleverness had much to do with her husband's success in statecraft, as all England knew. Lord Randolph Churchill died in 1895, leaving his wife \$250,000.

Four years later at Cowes Lady Randolph met young Lieutenant West, son of a family that had much pride but little money. It was love at first sight between the comely widow of 52 and the young officer of 25, younger than her youngest son.

The marriage of beautiful "Kitty" Dudley to Leslie Carter, millionaire, in 1880 proved unhappy. They were divorced in 1889, and the young ex-wife with the glorious Titian hair went on the stage, where she achieved not only fame but fortune.

Broadway is still talking about her marriage last summer while in Boston on an auto trip with a party of friends. It was all very sudden. Young Mr. Payne, only a trifle older than Mrs. Carter's son, Dudley, proposed one day; they were married almost the next.

Mrs. Burnett in the List.

Take Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett, for example, author of "Little Lord Fauntleroy" and other successful works for old and young. Mrs. Burnett was Miss Hodgson in 1873 when she married Dr. S. M. Burnett at the age of 23. A quarter of a century later they were divorced; two years afterward Mrs. Burnett, then a woman of 50, fell in love with Stephen Townsend, Englishman, physician, author and actor. They were married in 1900.

Then another literary romance had its culmination when that talented writer, Elizabeth Stuart Phelps, married Herbert Ward. She was the gifted authoress, her genius matured at 44. He was the Andover theologian of 27, eager to enter the ministry.

Professor Phelps of the seminary, liked the enthusiastic youth, and he



What care he—or she for that matter—about a little difference in age?

They were married, Craigy-Nos was sold and the happy pair retired to a new castle in Norway, where they dwell yet, happy as larks.

Burdett-Coutts Romance.

Never was there a happier marriage than that of the late Baroness Burdett-Coutts and William Lehman Ashmead Bartlett, 37 years her junior, now styled Ashmead Burdett-Coutts. He was a Brooklyn boy of modest lineage and more modest fortune.

The baroness possessed a fortune of many millions of pounds sterling and was a partner in Coutts' bank, one of London's oldest financial institutions. She immediately settled an annuity of the interest on \$1,250,000 upon the young Brooklynite. He in turn changed his name to Burdett-Coutts.

It was the happiest of marriages. The young husband was all devotion to his wife, who in turn was tremendously interested in his career. She made him almoner of all her vast schemes of charity; she advanced him in politics until he got a seat in parliament.

When she died, at 92, last December, her husband was grief-stricken.

Another international love match with London for its focus was that of Lady Randolph Churchill and young Lieut. Cornwallis West. But in this case the bride was the American, the bridegroom the British subject.

Churchill Won Prize.

Miss Jennie Jerome was one of the belles of New York 40 years ago. She was the daughter of Leonard Jerome, Wall street man, raconteur and bon vivant. Lord Randolph Churchill, one

invited him to his house. There Mr. Ward met the authoress. He was fascinated by her brilliancy.

Gradually the young student's aspirations turned from the ministry to literature. Miss Phelps was his inspiration. What followed was—love. Their friends were amazed. They were married in October, 1888.

To-day Mrs. Ward is 62 years old and Mr. Ward is 45.

And in the news of only a day or two ago comes the announcement of two more such marriages. In Worcester, Mass., Mrs. Antoine Kiebasa, widowed three times, possessed of \$1,000,000 and 46 years old, married Martin Moneta, ten years her junior and a poor photographer. Here in New York Mrs. Ada Jaffray McVickar announces her engagement to Herman P. Trappe. Mrs. McVickar has five sons, two of them married. Mr. Trappe is 30.

Who now shall dare to say what a woman's prime really is, or when she can forget romance and Cupid's call?

Evarts a Lover of Dogs.

Maxwell Evarts, son of former Senator William M. Evarts, is a big lawyer who lives in Vermont, practices law in New York and raises old English sheep dogs for fun. He has the best dogs of that breed in this country.

Has Risen to High Position.

Among the textile kings of New England is Walter H. Langshaw, of New Bedford, Mass. He rose rapidly from the humble position of barefooted bobbin boy to a man who now controls the most successful cotton mill in the world.

RELICS OF CRUSOE

HIS OLD GUN WAS RECENTLY SOLD AT AUCTION.

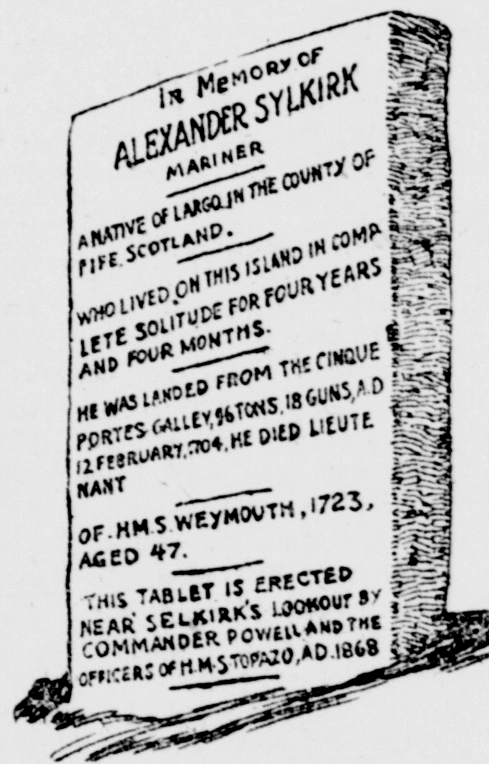
On Juan Fernandez Many Evidences of Selkirk's Residence Still Exist—A Tablet to His Memory.

Every one who has read Robinson Crusoe will be interested to learn that the trusty old musket the shipwrecked sailor used during the four years he lived on the deserted island off the Chilean coast is now in possession of Miss Huldah B. White of No. 201 North Thirty-fourth street, Philadelphia.

Miss White, while recently traveling in England, learned that the famous gun, which had been an heirloom in the Selkirk family for two centuries, was to be sold at auction in Edinburgh. Being a collector of curios, she sent an agent to the sale, and after some spirited bidding he secured the prize for \$162.75.

The relic is in an excellent state of preservation. The flintlock still works on its hinges and answers to the touch of the trigger. The old weapon is almost six feet long.

About 351 miles to the westward of the Chilean coast is a group of three small islands known as the archipelago of Juan Fernandez, and named, respectively, Mas a Tierra, Mas Afuera and Santa Clara. Mas a Tierra, better known as Juan Fernandez, is the one upon which Selkirk lived for years as a castaway. He was not wrecked, as De Foe causes Crusoe to be, but was sent ashore by Capt. Stradling, with a few personal effects, which included his seaman's chest, the famous fire lock, one pound of powder, some bullets, tobacco, a hatchet, a knife, a Bible and his mathematical instru-



Tablet to Crusoe.

ments and books. It is said that Selkirk was put ashore at his own request, but he probably had no choice in the matter; it was either banishment or death on the galleys.

For four years and four months Selkirk lived his lonely life on the uninhabited island. He made clothes from goat skins when his own were worn to rags. He killed goats, of which there was an abundance on the island, with his musket, and when finally his powder gave out he killed them by hand. He became so fleet of foot in time that no animal could outrun him.

Two years ago Prof. G. T. Hastings and A. Haebele, both from Cornell university, accompanied an expedition sent out by the Chilean government to study the interesting flora of the island. They took photographs of the familiar spots made famous by De Foe. They found everything just as Selkirk had described it in his diary. There was the cave up in the hillside in which he had dwelt during his long exile, the stockade he had erected for defense against a possible foe was there, too; so also was "Lookout Mountain," situated on the highest peak of the island. From this point Selkirk used to scan the ocean for the gleam of friendly sail. But he was far from the beaten track, and it was years before he was rescued. An iron tablet has been erected in memory of Selkirk near the lookout. The tablet reads:

In memory of Alexander Selkirk, mariner, a native of Largo, in the county of Fife, Scotland, who lived on this island in complete solitude for four years and four months. He was landed from the Cinque Portes galleon, 169 tons, 18 guns, A.D. 12 February, 1704. He died a Lieutenant of H. M. S. Weymouth, 1723, aged 47. This tablet is erected near Selkirk's lookout by Commander Powell and the officers of H. M. S. Torpare, A. D. 1868.

Selkirk was rescued in 1709. The signal fire he burned nightly had been seen by Commander Wood Rogers of the privateer Duke, and the following day the exile was taken on board and once more brought in contact with human beings.

Belonged to Him.

"She was my woman. I had a right to kill her." Morose and sullen, Max Kredich declared this in the Butler (Pa.) county jail the other day while he was awaiting trial for the murder of his wife. "I go free," protested the wife slayer, when the prospect of his trial was suggested. "It's none of their business." When he struck down his wife in their home at Lyndora last December, half a dozen boarders in his house strove to restrain him from abusing the little woman for an hour before he broke her neck with a blow of his bulky fist. Then he went at them with a butcher knife, shouting, "It is nobody's business if I kill her."

HIS HEAD IN A CAN.

And Still This Foxhound Found His Way Home.

Even a foxhound, whose business end lies in his nose, must have remarkable powers of smell to find his way five miles through the woods when his head is stuck in a tin can. At least that is the way Bert Whitman of Sherbourne, Vt., looks at it, and he is very proud of his dog Spark.

Spark went hunting recently with his master, and when it became dusk he was still running a crafty old reynard high up on the side of Pico mountain. There was no catching the hound and calling him off, so Whitman left him to return home when he got ready. Frequently he had packed his gun down the mountain while the hound was still bellowing on a hot scent, and he had no fear as to his showing up along in the night.

At ten o'clock when there were no signs of Spark, Whitman left the kitchen door ajar, placed a big pan of mush and soup bones on the floor and went to bed. Three hours later he was awakened by a clatter in the kitchen, and a moment later the hound, with his head stuck in a two-gallon milk can, waddled erratically into the bedroom. To say that the animal's master was surprised is putting it mildly. At first he wasn't sure that it was his dog, but when he spoke Spark thumped his tail and tried to crawl into the bed.

It was necessary to use a can opener to free the dog, and the job required something like 15 minutes. All this time Spark stood perfectly still, but the moment he was released he made for his supper and ate it as though famished. The animal probably found the can near some old camp, for it was covered with rust. Doglike, he investigated the interior with the hope of finding food, and couldn't remove his head. He must have found his way home by scent, as it was impossible for him to see through the can's bottom.—Chicago Examiner.

CHICKENS LAY EGGS 35 YEARS.

Veteran Hens Were Then Sold for Twelve Dollars.

At a public sale of the property of William Stengle, at Bally, a village near Pennsburg, Pa., a pair of chickens which Mr. Stengle says he had owned for 35 years, and which had been laying all the time, were sold for \$12.

Mr. Stengle's farm is located far away from any negro camp-meeting grounds. For years it had been the custom when any ministerial conferences were held in this section of the state for him to double-lock and bar his chicken coop.

The visit of the local preacher to the Stengle farm always resulted in a hurry call for the secretion of his favorite hens. Young chickens were hastily slaughtered and conspicuously displayed.

The purchaser of the hens is said to be contemplating opening a railway restaurant.—Detroit News-Tribune.

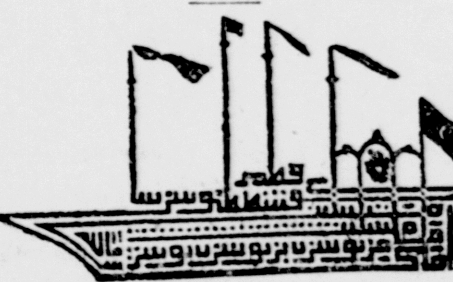
Flying Fish Struck Sailor.

When the liner Korea was bowling along on a smooth sea in the tropics between Yokohama and Honolulu a flying fish struck second Officer R. Allman as he stood on the bridge and caused him some little injury.

The fish was one of a large school and had down to an unusual height at the time. Allman was at the moment taking an observation when he felt a blow on his right side. A hasty glance downward disclosed the flying fish which lay on the bridge stunned from the impact with the officer's body.

Allman was not seriously hurt and he saved the flying fish, which is retained as a memento of his strange experience. The bridge of the Korea, where Allman stood, is about 50 feet above the surface of the sea.

A CONFESSION OF FAITH.



What he looks like a cross section of an ocean liner or battleship is nothing more than the Mahometan confession of faith. "There is no God but God, and Mahomet is the prophet of God." The letters used are the ancient Cufic form of Arabic letters. The man who built this pious sentence into a rude resemblance to a ship of war was a prisoner in jail.

Parrots Give Fire Alarm.

Five hundred parrots on the second floor of a Broadway, N. Y., bird store gave the first alarm of fire, which was raging on the first floor one evening recently, and brought firemen in time to save their lives and to check the blaze before much damage resulted. Their cries of alarm sounded so nearly like human being in distress that it was at first supposed persons were being burned or smothered in the building. "Fire! fire! Oh, Lordy!" were samples of the screams heard on the street. They aroused the janitor, who got a waiter in a nearby place to turn in an alarm.

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The hair of rabbits and other animals in Russia is converted into bowls, dishes and plates, which are valued for their strength, durability and lightness. The articles are similar in appearance to varnished wood.

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Will Live in Paris.

The widow of Collis P. Huntington has informed friends in Washington of her purpose to reside permanently in Paris. With this object in view she is preparing to close her house in New York and go to the French capital, where there will soon be completed a mansion for her costing nearly \$1,000,000. Mrs. Huntington was many years younger than her great husband, who left her the bulk of his millions to do with as she might see fit.

Laundry work at home would be much more satisfactory if the right Starch were used. In order to get the desired stiffness, it is usually necessary to use so much starch that the beauty and fineness of the fabric is hidden behind a paste of varying thickness, which not only destroys the appearance, but also affects the wearing quality of the goods. This trouble can be entirely overcome by using Defiance Starch, as it can be applied much more thinly because of its greater strength than other makes.

Piety.

In a recent number of a German magazine a writer offers a variant of the tale lately published in a book of children's true sayings, which relates how two small girls tried to sit on one stool, and one of them remarked: "If one of us was to get off the stool, there would be more room for me." The Teutonic version tells how a German sat by the bedside of his dying wife and murmured piously: "If it pleases the good God to take one of us, I shall go to Berlin."

The Entire Family.

Grand Pop used it for Rheumatism. Dad for Cuts, Sprains and Bruises. Many for Burns, Scalds and Aches. Sis for Catarrh and Chillsblains. I used it for everything, and it never disappoints any of us. It surely yanks any old pain out by the roots. Hunt's Lightning Oil is what I am telling you about.

An Anarchist.

"Thet air thin chicken with th' draggled feathers," remarked the old farmer, "I call th' anarchist." "Why do you call him that?" queried the summer boarder. "Cause he spends so much time chasin' th' other chickens 't git their vittles away from 'em he ain't got no time 't hustle fer none fer hisself," explained the old granger.

Starch, like everything else, is being constantly improved, the patent Starches put on the market 25 years ago are very different and inferior to those of the present day. In the latest discovery—Defiance Starch—all injurious chemicals are omitted, while the addition of another ingredient, invented by us, gives to the Starch a strength and smoothness never approached by other brands.

Waste.

"Hear about somebody scattering snuff in the house at Harrisburg?" "No; but it was a waste of material."

How's that?

"Why, only one or two of the fellows up there need to take snuff to make the whole crowd sneeze."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Don't Delay.

Save a possible serious spell of fever later on by cleansing your system now of its accumulation of impurities. Simmon's Sarsaparilla will do it. It makes fine blood, fine appetite, great strength and grand ambition.

The Real Market.

"She is very wealthy?" "Very." "Money left to her?" "No; she is the author of a book entitled 'Hints to Beautiful Women.'" "I presume all the beautiful women in the country purchased it?" "No; but all the homely women did."—Houston Post.

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C. C. Nash made a business pilgrimage to Francis.

A. L. Martin of the Egypt neighborhood was in the city today.

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H. A. Kroeger of Francis, republican nominee for county judge, spent last night in the city.

If your grocer does not handle White Wonder Flour have him get it for you. Don't take any substitute. 137-tf

J. E. Stanley, a well known farmer and fruit grower of Sulphur, was here today. He has been informed that he was recently elected to an office in some horticultural association; but fears he is not qualified for any office for the reason he does not know how to graft anything but fruit trees.

W. C. Duncan and family have gone to Bonham for several days' visit with relatives.

"Mike Mosquito" makes the mosquito "skidoo." 25c. Guaranteed at Gwin, Mays & Co. 140-4t

Professor A. L. Fenton and son Whitman of Stonewall were visiting in the county seat today.

Gus Bobbitt and family returned from Oklahoma City where they heard Bryan speak last night. Gus now believes even stronger than ever that William Jennings Bryan is the biggest man in the world.

"We run a DRUG STORE and nothing more." Gwin, Mays & Co. 135-10t

H. E. Wark and T. B. Harrell are in Midland tonight, taking after the statewide prohibition interest.

"HIKE MOSQUITO" lotion makes mosquitoes "skidoo." 25c guaranteed at Gwin, Mays & Co. 140-5t

Mrs. Cloyd has moved her dress-making parlors to Cox-Greer-McDonald store where she will be glad to see all friends and patrons. 140-tf

Stephen D. Johnson, younger brother of the "Farmers Johnson," left this morning to take his finishing year in the Ohio military institute, near Cincinnati.

There's smokers satisfaction in the G. M. C. Special and Pontiac 5c cigars at Gwin, Mays & Co. 140-5t

C. M. Grant of Vinita and M. L. Creel of Pryor Creek, two prominent contractors of the east side, are taking a look at Ada's growth and investigating building material conditions.

Do it now! Too late Friday night after nine o'clock! Register!

Today's Market.

Cotton.

New Orleans futures two points down, New York unchanged. Spots unchanged. New Orleans at 13 9-16, New York at 1355.

Wheat went up a cent and a half a bushel.

Notice.

I will begin teaching music in South Ada September 16. My room will be two doors north of the school building in the Reed home. Will begin teaching in North Ada the 17th. My music room will be in Rev. Cassiday's residence. 144-2t Lillian Harrell.



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The bell will soon be summoning the youngsters back to school. The beginning of school always means a decided added expense for the children's outfitting. We intend to maintain the reputation of this store as headquarters for school books, and school supplies. How much you can save the prices will show.

Tablets, perforated and wire stapled, 200 pages, 5c. Bargains in Pencils, some extra good ones at 2 for 5c, 3 for 5c, and at 5 for 5c.

Slates, 5c, 10c, and 14c. Composition Books, both for pencil and pen kind, 5c and 10c. Ink, the reliable Curtis, Stanfords and Livison brands, 5c a bottle.

We are school headquarters—more this year than ever.

The Nickel Store

AND CHINA HALL.
The 5c and 10c Store of Ada.
G. M. SHAW, Prop.

Have your grocer send you a sack of White Wonder Flour. 137-tf

WANT PERIL REMOVED.

Citizens Urge Council to Have Removed Large Store of Combustibles.

Fearing a disastrous conflagration may result from the storage of a large quantity of coal oil and gasoline in an old building located on a prominent corner of the city, a number of the citizens are importuning the officers to abate the nuisance. The following petition has been presented to the city council:

TO THE HONORABLE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ADA:

Your petitioners, citizens of the City of Ada, respectfully represent to your honorable body, that there is now stored in the old building situated on the southeast corner of Townsend avenue and Twelfth street, a large quantity of COAL OIL and GASOLINE and that the same endangers the lives and property of the people of the City of Ada.

Therefore, your petitioners pray that your honorable body take such steps as are necessary to have the same removed to some point where it will not endanger the lives and property of the citizens and residents of Ada.

Respectfully submitted,

S. K. Smith, J. W. Peay, Henry Dalhauser, Jesse Warren, Mrs. S. A. Large, W. H. Rayburn, M. M. Chatten, M. V. Barbesauw, S. T. Williams, J. P. Wood, E. S. Collins, W. H. Ebeey, W. D. Hays, Jno. P. Crawford, Ed Gwin, G. P. Crawley, W. H. Braley, E. F. Pugh, Wm. F. Byrd, F. O. Harris, W. J. Reed, R. W. Simpson, Reed & Harrison, Peete Johnson, R. E. Haynes, W. S. James, E. F. Simpson, I. Harris, Lee Dagg, G. M. Ramsey, F. S. Hackett, J. W. Hays

In explanation of the city's tardiness in taking action in this matter Mayor Barton makes the following statement: "The city officers can't make an arrest without an ordinance prohibiting such a nuisance. There exists no common law jurisdiction. I have called recently three special meetings of the council. The last time there were only five members present. It requires six councilmen present to suspend the rules and pass an ordinance at a special meeting. Another meeting has been called for Monday night, September 9th, at 8 o'clock, and I trust that all aldermen will attend."

"The officers stand ready to act promptly as soon as the ordinance is passed."

Tenor Horn.

I have a C. G. Conn silver tenor horn that cost sixty dollars when it was new that I will sell cheap. Almost new. 143-tf Mrs. P. J. Rollow.

The Ladies of the Macabees will meet Saturday afternoon at 3:30. All members are especially asked to be present.

Mrs. T. B. McKeown, Lady Commander.

Owing to the delicate health of my little daughter I will sew at my home on East Twelfth street through the fall season. I will appreciate the patronage of my friends and customers and give them the same service I have always given them, which has always been my very best. Mrs. Dunstan. 140-26t

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Smith, who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Moss, for the last week, left today for their home in Dodds City. They were accompanied by Master Baugum Moss, who will visit with them awhile.

Wanted.

A position is offered for general house work. Call on Mrs. U. G. Winn, corner of Rennie and Seventeenth street. 143-2t

Notice of Sale

Under and by virtue of an order sale made by the United States Court in and for the Southern Judicial District of the Indian Territory, I will on the 27th day of September, 1907, between the hours of 12 o'clock, noon and two o'clock in the afternoon, at the door of the Court House of the United States Court, at Ada, Indian Territory, at public sale, for not less than three-fourths of its appraised value, on a credit of three months, with a bond from the purchaser, with good surety, to be approved by me, and a lien retained on the property for its price, sell the interest of Virgie Walton in the lands and premises described as follows, to-wit:

The northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter; and the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section twenty-eight; and the northwest quarter of section thirty-two, in township 3 north, range eight east, of the Indian Base and Meridian, in the Indian Territory.

Dated this 2nd day of September, 1907.

A. M. Jackson, Guardian of Virgie Walton, a minor.

We keep a full line of prescription goods. We know how and can fill any prescription. We don't substitute. We deliver.

Crescent Drug Store

Dr. F. Z. Holley, Prop.

Gasoline Engine for Sale.

I have a good two horse power gasoline engine for sale cheap. Pumping jack attached. L. J. Crowder. 140-6t 21-1t

ADA MEAT MARKET

Soth Broadway

APPRECIATES YOUR PATRONAGE.

A. W. White has just assumed entire management of the Ada Meat Market. Best of FRESH and CURED MEATS and HOME RENDERED LARD. Courteous treatment, fair dealing.

A. W. WHITE, Proprietor.

Your Pipe Dreams

Can easily come true if you dream of replacing your strong old pipe with something better. We have a lot of new pipes and it is a fine assortment. Come in and see what choice we can give for 25c, and a wide variety of other pipes up to \$12.00.

Gwin, Mays & Co.

THE DRUGGISTS.

"We run a drug store and nothing more."

LIKE MEXICAN CHILE?

At the Mexican Chile Parlor, just opposite Dorland Hotel, you can get the best made. Louis Lopez, the proprietor, and Delgado, the famous chile maker of Dallas, jointly secured. First Prize at the St. Louis Exposition in the chile making contest open to the world. Try a dish of Louis' make then you'll take some home to the family.

Also Short Orders and cold drinks served.

NEW CASH GROCERY

On East Main street.

17 lbs. granulated sugar - \$1.00
8 lbs good coffee - \$1.00
Black Bear tobacco, plug - 10
1 doz. 1-2 gal. fruit jars - 70
1 doz. qt. fruit jars - 60
1 doz. pint fruit jars - 50

Call and see us.

G. S. ALDRICH
PROPRIETOR.

PHONE NO. 64 when in need of want transferring done.

Houser & Johnson

GALVESTON EXCURSION



Sept. 8th.

Ada to Galveston and return \$8.00. On Sale September 8th, good going on special train leaving Ada 11.10 a. m. good returning on all regular trains until September 18.

A. M. Jackson, Guardian of Virgie Walton, a minor. C. F. ORCHARD, Agt.



When you want to enjoy a good appetizing meal at a moderate charge, come to the

English Kitchen

Everything strictly first class and clean. Once you eat here you'll become a regular patron.

LEADING PROFESSIONAL MEN

FURMAN & CROXTON.

ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW
Will do a general Civil and Criminal Practice.
Office in Duncan Building.

C. A. Galbraith Tom D. McKeown

GALBRAITH & McKEOWN

LAWYERS

Over Citizens National Bank
Ada, Ind. Ter.

GRANGER & SAFFARRANS

Dentists,

In Freeman Bldg. Ada, I. T.
Office phone 57 Residence 224

B. H. ERB

DENTIST

Rooms 1, 2 and 3 1st Nat'l Bank B'g.

DR. T. W. CHADWICK,

VETERINARY SURGEON AND DENTIST.
Is now located at the Texas Wagon Yard.
Examination free.
Residence phone 305; Office phone 306.

LIGON & KING.

Physicians and Surgeons.

Office in First National Bank Bldg.

DR. J. D. THOMPSON,

DENTIST.

Phone 155.

Ada National Bank Bldg. Ada, I. T.

Res. Phone 178. Res. Phone 81.

DR. BROWALL & FAUST.

Office Henley & Biles Bldg.
Phone 80.

ADA STEAM LAUNDRY CO.

Is given by the best. Do

Largest Agency Work

of any plant in this Territory.

C. E. WYATT

CITY DRAYMAN

Handles Everything From a Pin

to a Boller.

All work guaranteed. Your patronage solicited.

CASH

Is what you want every day. Without you are at the mercy of others when sickness and old age comes. Sign a declaration of independence for yourself by starting a savings account with a dollar or two today with the

Ada National Bank

The following telegram was received by Mr. Ed. Mark, Manager of the Globe Clothing Store:

THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

INCORPORATED

23,000 OFFICES IN AMERICA.

CABLE SERVICE TO ALL THE WORLD.

This Company TRANSMITS and DELIVERS messages only on conditions limiting its liability, which have been assented to by the sender of the following message.
Errors can be guarded against only by repeating a message back to the sending station for comparison, and the Company will not hold itself liable for errors or delays in transmission or delivery of Unrepeated Messages, beyond the amount of tolls paid thereon, nor in any case where the claim is not presented in writing within ninety days after the message is filed with the Company for transmission.
This is an UNREPEATED MESSAGE and is delivered by request of the sender, under the conditions named above.
ROBERT C. CLOWRY, President and General Manager.

RECEIVED at 66 CH WF 14 Collect.

Harrisburg, Pa., Aug. 28, 1907.

Ed Mark, Manager of the Globe Clothing Store.

Ada, I. T.

Arrangements completed. We expect you to take charge of territory Sept. 15th.

H. C. Caldwell.

Mailed on account strike.

Our manager, Mr. Ed Mark, having accepted a position with a large Eastern manufacturer as general salesman, and has made all necessary arrangements to leave here by October 1st, compels us to quit business at this place and to convert our entire stock of merchandise into cash, within twenty-one (21) days time.

We realize that it will take heroic measures to clean out our enormous stock of merchandise in so short a time, and in order to take this great undertaking we have determined to crowd in three month's selling in 21 days' time. We fully realize that we are up against a proposition, and are willing to take the consequences. We have gone to

Cutting Prices Right and Left.

and will begin on Saturday September 7th the greatest and most wonderful SLAUGHTER SALE that was ever witnessed by the people in this section.

We are determined not to move a dollar's worth of goods from this place under any circumstances, no matter what goods cost; no matter how stylish, no matter what the article may be—Men's Suits, Men's Overcoats, Boy's Suits, Boys' Overcoats, Shoes and Hats for men and boys, Underwear, Shirts and Hosiery.

Everything in This Store Must Go.

Prices will cut no figure. Come and make us your offer.

If you want to take advantage of this great opportunity

Come Early and Get First Pick.

OUR STORE WILL BE CLOSED THURSDAY AND FRIDAY TO ARRANGE STOCK

AND MARK DOWN PRICES.

Extra salespeople wanted. Apply Friday night. Lady cashier wanted at once.

WATCH FOR OUR CIRCULARS.

The Globe Clothing Store

Two doors west of Citizens National Bank, opposite U. S. Court House.

President Roosevelt Said:

"Texas is the Garden Spot of the Lord"

95,000 Acres Ranch of Dr. Chas. F. Simmons
Now On the Market.

Here is Your Opportunity to Buy a Farm of from 10 Acres to 640 and
Two Town Lots in This "Garden Spot" for \$210. Pay-
able \$10 per Month Without Interest.

Investigation will show that this 95,000 acres comprises one of the finest bodies of Agricultural and Truck Farming land in the entire state, commencing about 36 miles south of San Antonio and about two miles south of Pleasanton (the county seat of Atascosa County), and extending through Atascosa and a part of McMullen Counties, to within 17 miles of my 60,000-acre Live Oak County Ranch, which I in four months last year, sold to 4,000 Home Seekers, on liberal terms, without interest on deferred payments, which gives the poor man, from his savings, a chance to secure a good farm and town lot for his home in town. I will donate and turn over to three bonded Trustees, \$250,000 from the proceeds of the sale of this property to the purchasers, as a bonus to the first railroad built through this property on the line which I shall designate.

This property is located on that middle plain between East Texas, where it rains too much, and the arid section of West Texas, where it does not rain enough.

Its close proximity to San Antonio, the largest city in the State, with a claimed population of over 100,000, enhances its value as a market for Agricultural and Truck farm products far beyond the value of similar land not so favorably located.

Topography.
Level to slightly rolling. Large, broad, rich valleys, encircled by elevations suitable for homes; 90 per cent. fine farming land, balance pasture land.

Forestry.
Ash, Elm, Gum, Hackberry, Live Oak, Mesquite, Pecan, abundant for shade, fencing and wood.

Soil.
About 60 per cent. rich, dark, sandy loam, balance chocolate or red sandy loam, usually preferred by local farmers, and each with soil averaging from 2 to 4 feet deep, with clay subsoil, which holds water.

Climate.
Mild, balmy, healthy, practically free from malaria, few frosts, no snow, no hard freezes; continuous sea breeze moderates extremes of heat and cold, producing warm winters and cool summers. Average temperature about 62 degrees.

Rainfall.
From the Government record, it is safe to assume that the rainfall on this property has been fully 35 inches per year, which is more than some of the old States have had, and is plentiful for ordinary crops properly cultivated, and for Grass Growing.

Improvements and Water.
This property is fenced and cross-fenced in many large and small pastures, with four barbed wires, with posts about 12 feet apart. Also a number of fine shallow wells.

Also a number of fine Lakes and Tanks.

Also, a number of fine flowing Artesian Wells, whose crystal streams flow for miles and miles down those creeks, whose broad, rich valleys, irrigable from those continuously flowing streams, make it the ideal place for the Marketing Gardener who desires to raise from two to three crops of marketable produce on the same ground every year.

Farming and Truck Farming.
Seasons never end.

This land is adapted to profitable culture of Beans, Cabbage, Celery, Cucumbers, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Beets, Carrots, Onions, Radish, Squash, Strawberries, Cauliflower, Okra, Oyster Plant, Peas, Raspberries, Turnips, Apricots, Cantaloupes, Grapes, Irish Potatoes, Olives, Sweet Potatoes, Bananas, Dates, English Walnuts, Figs, Melons, Peanuts, Barley, Blackberries, Broom Corn, Lemons, Plums, Tobacco, Alfalfa, Rye, Oranges, Peaches, Pecans, Corn, Cotton, Oats, Wheat, Apples, Pears.

Page 63 of the book entitled "Beautiful San Antonio," officially issued by the Business Men's Club of San Antonio, dated May, 1906, says:

"It is readily conceded by all those who know anything about Texas that the most prolific agricultural section is that which recognizes San Antonio as its logical center, particularly that portion directly south of San Antonio, with the Gulf of Mexico bordering on the southeast and the Rio Grande bordering on the south and west.

"Within the last four or five years, in the territory named, special attention has been given to growing vegetables, they maturing at a time when they secure the maximum prices on Northern markets, which markets they virtually invade without a competitor. The profit in growing vegetables in this territory will be seen by an examination of the following figures, secured from reliable sources, showing

Net Earnings Per Acre:

"Watermelons from \$75.00 to \$200.00.
"Cantaloupes from \$40.00 to \$75.00.
"Cabbage from \$125.00 to \$225.00.
"Cauliflower from \$75.00 to \$225.00.
"Beans and Peas from \$100.00 to \$125.00.

"Tomatoes from \$125.00 to \$400.00.
"Potatoes from \$60.00 to \$150.00.
"Onions from \$150.00 to \$300.00.
"Tabasco Peppers from \$500.00 to \$900.00 per acre.

"The Chicago Record-Herald publishing the following individual experiences in South Texas:

"Men who came here with \$500 and \$600 a few years ago are now independently rich.

"A young man who came to this

country for his health, bought 18 acres and in one year cleared over \$6,000 from it, which was \$333.33 per acre.

"Another man, 65 years old, from 79 acres, sold \$5,000 worth of produce, from which he realized \$63.29 per acre and then raised a Cotton crop on part of it, which made him \$35 per acre, which made the same land net him \$98.29 per acre for that year.

"Another man from 80 acres in 1904 realized as follows: From Onions, \$2,226.91; from Cotton, \$1,800; 200 bushels Corn; 12 tons Hay; 5,000 pounds Sweet Potatoes.

"Another made \$3,200 from five acres of early Cabbage, which was \$640 per acre, and grew a second crop of Corn and Peas on the same ground that year.

"Another realized \$27,000 from 90 car loads of Cabbage, averaging \$300 per car, which was \$207.69 from each of the 130 acres he had planted.

"Another netted, above all expenses, \$60 per acre on Potatoes, and planted the same ground in Cotton that year from which he realized \$35 per acre, which made that ground yield him \$95 per acre.

"Another realized \$32,966 from 230 acres in Melons, which was \$143.33 per acre.

"Another netted \$21,000 from 35 acres in Onions, which was \$600 per acre.

"Another netted \$17,445, or \$79.25 per acre from nine cuttings of 220 acres in Alfalfa, which yielded in one year 2,475 tons and sold at \$11 per ton.

"Another received \$900 from one acre in Cauliflower; sown in July, transplanted in August, and marketed in December."

The same authority quotes the following statement from the Hon. Joseph Daily, of Chillicothe, Ill., who owns thousands of acres in the Illinois Corn Belt. He says:

"I am one of the heaviest taxpayers on farm lands in Mason and Tazewell Counties, Illinois, and I have been familiar with the conditions around San Antonio for 12 years. Any thrifty farmer can get rich, and make more money off of this cheap land, acre for acre, than any land in the State of Illinois, that sells from \$150 to \$225 per acre."

Come to the land of beautiful sunshine and almost perpetual harvest.

Where the people are prosperous, happy and contented.

Where the flowers bloom ten months in the year.

Where the farmers and gardeners, whose seasons never end, eat home-grown June vegetables in January, and bask in mid-winter's balmy air and glorious sunshine.

Where the land yield is enormous and the prices remunerative.

Where something can be planted and harvested every month in the year.

Where the climate is so mild that the Northern farmer here save practically all his fuel bills and three-fourths the cost of clothing his family in the North.

Where the country is advancing and property values rapidly increasing.

Where all stock, without any feed, fatten winter and summer, on the native grasses and brush.

Where the same land yields the substantial of the temperate and the luxuries of the tropic zones.

Where the farmer does not have to work hard six months in the year to raise feed to keep his stock from dying during the winter, as they do in the North and Northwest.

Where there are no aristocrats and people do not have to work hard to have plenty and go in the best society. Where the natives work less and have more to show for what they do than in any country in the United States.

Where houses, barns and fences can be built for less than half the cost in the North.

Where sunstrokes and heat prostrations are unknown.

Where sufferers with Asthma, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Hay Fever and Throat Troubles find relief.

Where, surrounded by fruits and vegetables, which ripen every month in the year, the living is better and less expensive than in the North.

Where the water is pure, soft and plentiful.

Where the taxes are so low that the amount is never missed.

Where Public and Private Schools and Churches of all denominations are plentiful.

Where peace, plenty and good will prevail.

Where it is so healthy that there are few physicians and most of them, to make a living supplement their income from other business.

\$1,000 Reward will be paid to any one proving that any statement in this advertisement is not true.

Write for literature and name of nearest agent.

C. F. SIMMONS,

215 Alamo Plaza - San Antonio, Texas

Case of Necessity.
Maud—I thought you had made Jack swear off smoking cigarettes.

Ethel—I did. But I had to let him begin again. I couldn't think of a thing to give him for Christmas that didn't have something to do with tobacco.—Life

AROUND THE CIRCLE

HOW THE PRACTICE OF HOME
TRADE HELPS EVERYBODY.

THE RESULT OF ADVERTISING

An Increased Use of Printers' Ink in
the Local Paper Brought Pros-
perity to the Entire Com-
munity.

"You'll have to stay over Sunday, Mary, so I can have a chance for a visit with you. Can't possibly get the time through the week. Business too lively."

"Things must be getting better with you, John. Last time I was here you seemed to have lots of time to spare. Said business had gone to the dogs, or rather to the mail-order houses. What made the change?"

"Well, to tell the truth, Mary, I just wakened up one day and thought I would give them fellows in the city a little of their own medicine. I got onto the fact that they were killing me by feeding the people around here on printer's ink in the way of advertising, and while I knew most of what they said was lies the people didn't know it, and I started in to show them what I could do. Not at

ing they voted me a raise in salary for the coming year. In a talk made by Brother Jones he explained that this was possible because the people were keeping their money at home rather than sending it to the catalogue houses of the cities. Brother Frank (the post-master) explained that the money order business of his office had dropped to almost nothing within the past six months. He said that less than a year ago he was handling more than \$1,000 each month in the shape of money orders, and that now the total is not one-fourth of that. I understand that they will also increase the school teacher's salary next term."

"A 12-page paper this week? I see. Anything special doing?"

"Not at all. That's to be the regular size of the Record in the future. The increase in business warrants it. The campaign of advertising being conducted by the merchants forced me to increase the size or encroach upon my reading matter columns, and so I increased. Then, too, my subscription list is growing. People who never took the paper before say they want it now if for nothing more than to keep posted on the prices the merchants are quoting. Business in the Record office is booming all around. I have had to advertise for two more job printers, and have just ordered a new printing press. By the way, is that horse you offered me some time ago still on the



The local merchant who must bear the burden of local taxation is entitled to the assistance of every resident of the community. When you send your dollars to the mail-order houses of the city you but add to the load he must carry. Keep your dollars at home.

lying, you know, but at selling good goods as cheap as the city fellows did, and lots of times a little cheaper.

"I went to the local paper and pretty near scared the editor to death by ordering a half page of each issue for six months. Then I set about seeing what I had to sell that the people would want. I really didn't know what was in that store until I started to look it over. Some of the things had been there so long I had forgotten about them. I hauled them out and put a bargain sale price on them, told the people about them in the next week's Record, and gave the prices, and say, I just couldn't get them things wrapped up fast enough. Ever since then I've just been buying and selling, buying and selling. Seems like nothing stays in the store. Have hired two more clerks, and they're everlastingly telling me we're out of this, that or the other thing. I found that telling the people what you've got and what you are willing to sell them for pays. I've paid off that mortgage that's been hanging over us for the last ten years, and gave \$100 to the new church building besides, and it's advertising that did it.

"You'll stay over Sunday, won't you? I've got to get to the store now."

"Jones ordered a new delivery wagon this morning, Jane. Said since the folks around here had started to trade at home and quit sending so much money to the mail-order houses he simply had to have it. You can have what I make on that wagon to get that new dress with that you've been wanting. Wish you'd buy it of Jones though for he always trades with me."

"Yes, sir, I figure I'm ahead a little more than the freight on that buggy, besides getting a better buggy than you got. I intended to send away for mine, too, like you did, but I saw Brown's advertisement telling the kind of a buggy he had and the price, and I concluded I'd look at it first. He's making better prices than the catalogue fellows, and he's paying the freight besides. I figure that I saved just about enough on that buggy to pay the doctor's bill for Molly's sickness, and then, besides, Brown ordered his hay of me, and he's paying a good price for it, too."

"Now, my dear, you may engage Miss Herman to give Princess music lessons for the wave of prosperity in the community has struck the minis-

Five-Looking Royal Couple.

The king and queen of Denmark are indeed a regal-looking couple. King Frederick is a giant in stature, while his consort is the tallest royal woman in Europe. She is also the richest, having inherited a great deal of property from her father, the late King Charles of Sweden, besides the immense fortune of her mother, who was one of the richest heiresses of the nineteenth century. Her majesty is deeply religious.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

With LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quick medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrh. Send for testimonials, free. E. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, price 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

The Disadvantages of Schools.

"Why have you taken your son out of school without asking permission?" Father (a grocer)—But they were ruining him; I wish to bring him up to carry on my business, and they were teaching him that there are 16 ounces in a pound.—Translated for Transatlantic Tales from Il Motto per Ridere.

We Reiterate.

That for more than fifteen years Hunt's Cure has been working on the afflicted. Its mission is to cure skin troubles, particularly those of an itching character. Its success is not on account of advertising, but because it surely does the work. One box is guaranteed to cure any case.

Monopolizing Them.

Miss Passay—Many young girls nowadays are positively awful. The idea of one being engaged to two young men at the same time. It's simply shameful!

Miss Pert (maliciously)—And it's aggravating, too, isn't it?

MOTHERHOOD

The first requisite of a good mother is good health, and the experience of maternity should not be approached without careful physical preparation, as a woman who is in good physical condition transmits to her children the blessings of a good constitution.

Preparation for healthy maternity is accomplished by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which is made from native roots and herbs, more successfully than by any other medicine because it gives tone and strength to the entire feminine organism, curing displacements, ulceration and inflammation, and the result is less suffering and more children healthy at birth. For more than thirty years

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

has been the standby of American mothers in preparing for childbirth. Noteworth Mrs. James Chester of 427 W. 35th St., New York says in this letter:—Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—"I wish every expectant mother knew about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. A neighbor who had learned of its great value at this trying period of a woman's life urged me to try it and I did so, and I cannot say enough in regard to the good it did me. I recovered quickly and am in the best of health now."

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is certainly a successful remedy for the peculiar weaknesses and ailments of women. It has cured almost every form of Female Complaints, Dragging Sensations, Weak Back, Falling and Displacements, Inflammation, Ulcerations and Organic Diseases of Women and is invaluable in preparing for Childbirth and during the Change of Life.

Mrs. Pinkham's Standing Invitation to Women

Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to write Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. Her advice is free.

Libby's Food Products

Libby's Veal Loaf With Beef and Pork

Do you like Veal Loaf? You will surely be delighted with Libby's kind, made from choice fresh meats, in Libby's spotless kitchens. It is pure, wholesome and delicious in flavor.

Ready for Serving At Once.—Simply garnished with sauce it is an appetizing entree for luncheon or dinner.

Ask your grocer for Libby's and insist upon getting Libby's.

Libby, McNeill & Libby Chicago

UMC SHOT SHELLS

When the Scarecrow Fails

Buy the boy a Gun and U. M. C. Ammunition. Some crows will have cause for mourning and the boy will enjoy farm life the better.

U. M. C. Cartridges insure your crops.

THE UNITED METALLIC CARTRIDGE COMPANY, BRIDGEPORT, CONN.

Agency, 315 Broadway, N. Y. City
Sales Office, San Francisco, Cal.

Weak men tremble at the world's opinion, fools defy it, wise men judge it.—La Rochefoucauld.

Women would have but little use for minds and complexions if it were impossible to change them.

A certain, safe and quick remedy for Itching Piles is Hunt's Cure.

Pawnbrokers are able to see the silver lining of your clouds.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

CURES ALL KIDNEY DISEASES

BRIGHT'S DISEASE, DIABETES, RHEUMATISM, GRAVEL, CALCULI, NEURALGIA, MIGRAINE, ETC.

Small Pills. Small Dose. Small Price.

SICK HEADACHE

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

Positively cured by these Little Pills. They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Headache, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

SMALL PILL. SMALL DOSE. SMALL PRICE!

Genuine Must Bear Fac-Simile Signature

REFUSE SUBSTITUTES.

MRS. JAMES CHESTER

For more than thirty years

THE COUNTRY HAS NO SUPERIOR

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The Diplomatist.

It used to be said that a diplomatist was a man who was sent abroad to his country. To-day it would be much nearer the truth to say that a diplomatist is a man who is sent abroad to tell the truth for his country. A most interesting account has recently been given of the petition for better treatment of the Jews, and the protest against the Kishinef massacre. In order to gratify the signers of the petition, the state department forwarded it to Ambassador McCormick at St. Petersburg, although well aware that the Russian government could take no official cognizance of it. When the paper was laid on the table before Count Lamsdorf, he said, "You know I cannot receive this." Then, according to the story which is reported by Collier's, Mr. McCormick replied, "Let us talk for a few minutes as man to man. You are Count Lamsdorf, and I am not an ambassador, but merely Mr. McCormick. The time has come when you can no longer disregard public opinion. The whole world is aroused. Do me the great favor personally, of keeping this for two or three days. Then if you are still of the same mind, send it back to me and no more will be said." In the end Count Lamsdorf showed the petition to the czar, who was sufficiently impressed by it to ameliorate somewhat the condition of the Jews.

Science Vs. Charlatanism.

Nothing in years has made the chemists rage together so furiously as the exploited "discovery" of a compound which will make ashes burn better than coal. Of one formula—we are aware that this was not the one tried in a hotel boiler room the other day—Prof. Gill, of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, says, "It contains nothing, nor can it make anything, that in any way will air combustion." Even if the inventor's preposterous theory of its working be accepted, the professor says that the heating capacity of a gallon of the mixture would be about equal to that of a piece of coal the size of a pea. "Why," the scientific men all ask, "does this piece of charlatanism get itself spread broadcast over the country when discoveries of real scientific importance go unheralded?" We do not know of any reason which would not apply equally to medical nostrums. They create sensations because of the prodigious value they would have if they were only real. The inventors of ash-burning formulae, remarks the New York Post, might well ask their academic critics to point to any achievement of science within, say, 25 years that would benefit directly and indirectly so many people as a method for burning ashes.

Naming the Spanish baby the prince of the Asturias is just a temporary arrangement until the geographers and the philologists can get together and, with the aid of relays of stenographers, fix up a permanent name for the helpless infant. The real and official name of a Spanish king is like a Chinese play. You read part of it to-day and come back to-morrow and the day after to get the rest. It embraces everything that the historians can think of and a few more smooth-sounding words thrown in for good measure. One would judge from reading the official title of King Alfonso XIII, for instance, that he was the supreme ruler of the earth, the air, the waters under the earth and New Mexico, Alaska, Patagonia and all intermediate points. If you will notice, their photographs show that nearly all the recent kings of Spain were stoop-shouldered. That came from trying to carry their full names around with them.

One of the modern improvements in mail service which the United States government has been foremost in adopting is the establishment of "sea post offices." This means the providing of facilities on ocean-going steamers by which mail is assorted on board and delivery thereby expedited. It is represented that mail thus disposed of reaches the intended destination 12 hours earlier than by the old system. Postmaster General Meyer approves the plan and contemplates extension of the arrangement. He is preparing to create at least two more of these "post offices" on vessels carrying American mail to Europe, the result of which will be highly pleasing to postal patrons.

The German press is strongly opposed to the kaiser's fifth son making a tour of America, saying that "only evil can come to him in that land of dollars and machines." Can it be that the prowess of our automobiles has extended to the Fatherland?

A man out in Montana predicts that the world will come to an end in ten days, and is selling off his property in anticipation of the coming finale. But what does he propose to do with the money?

A WONDERFUL GAIN.

A Utah Pioneer Tells a Remarkable Story.

J. W. Browning, 1011 22d St., Ogden, Utah, a pioneer who crossed the plains in 1848, says:



"Five years ago the doctors said I had diabetes. My kidneys were all out of order, I had to rise often at night, looked sallow, felt dull and listless and had lost 40 pounds. My back ached and I had spells of rheumatism and dizziness. Doan's Kidney Pills relieved me of these troubles and have kept me well for a year past. Though 75 years old, I am in good health."

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Hard to Realize.

"Mother," said a college student who had brought his chum home for the holidays, "permit me to present my friend, Mr. Specknoodle."

His mother, who was a little hard of hearing, placed her hand to her ear.

"I'm sorry, George, but I didn't quite catch your friend's name. You'll have to speak a little louder, I'm afraid."

"I say, mother," shouted George, "I want to present Mr. Specknoodle."

"I'm sorry, George, but Mr. —"

What was the name again?"

"Mr. Specknoodle!" George fairly yelled.

The old lady shook her head sadly.

"I'm sorry, George, but I'm afraid it's no use. It sounds just like Specknoodle to me." Everybody's Magazine.

SORES AS BIG AS PENNIES.

Whole Head and Neck Covered—Hair All Came Out—Cured in Three Weeks by Cuticura.

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Royal Scion Does Good Work.

The duke of Abruzzi, now a visitor in this country, pronounces it as though it were spelled "Ah-broo-zee," with the accent on the second syllable. Although only 34 years old, he has done a deal of hard work and has had many hazardous experiences. He is the son of a Spanish king who abdicated under pressure. The son early in life took service in the Italian navy. Then he went in for exploration and mountaineering and in such pursuits has traveled all over the world. The duke has written acceptably of his wanderings and has won honors for several scientific societies.

Where He Met Him.

He was one of those smart men who like to show their cleverness. "Watch me take a rise out of him," he said, as the tramp approached. Then he listened solemnly to the tale of hard luck.

"That's the same old story you told me the last time you accosted me," he said, when the vagrant had finished. "Is it?" was the answering question. "When did I tell it to you?"

"Last week."

"Mebbe I did, mebbe I did," admitted the tramp. "I'd forgotten meeting you. I was in jail all last week."

An Ill Wind, Etc.

"Her marriage was very unfortunate, wasn't it?" "Oh, no; she considers it quite fortunate." "Why, I understand she was divorced." "Exactly, and her divorce was the opening of her stage career, which is now very promising."

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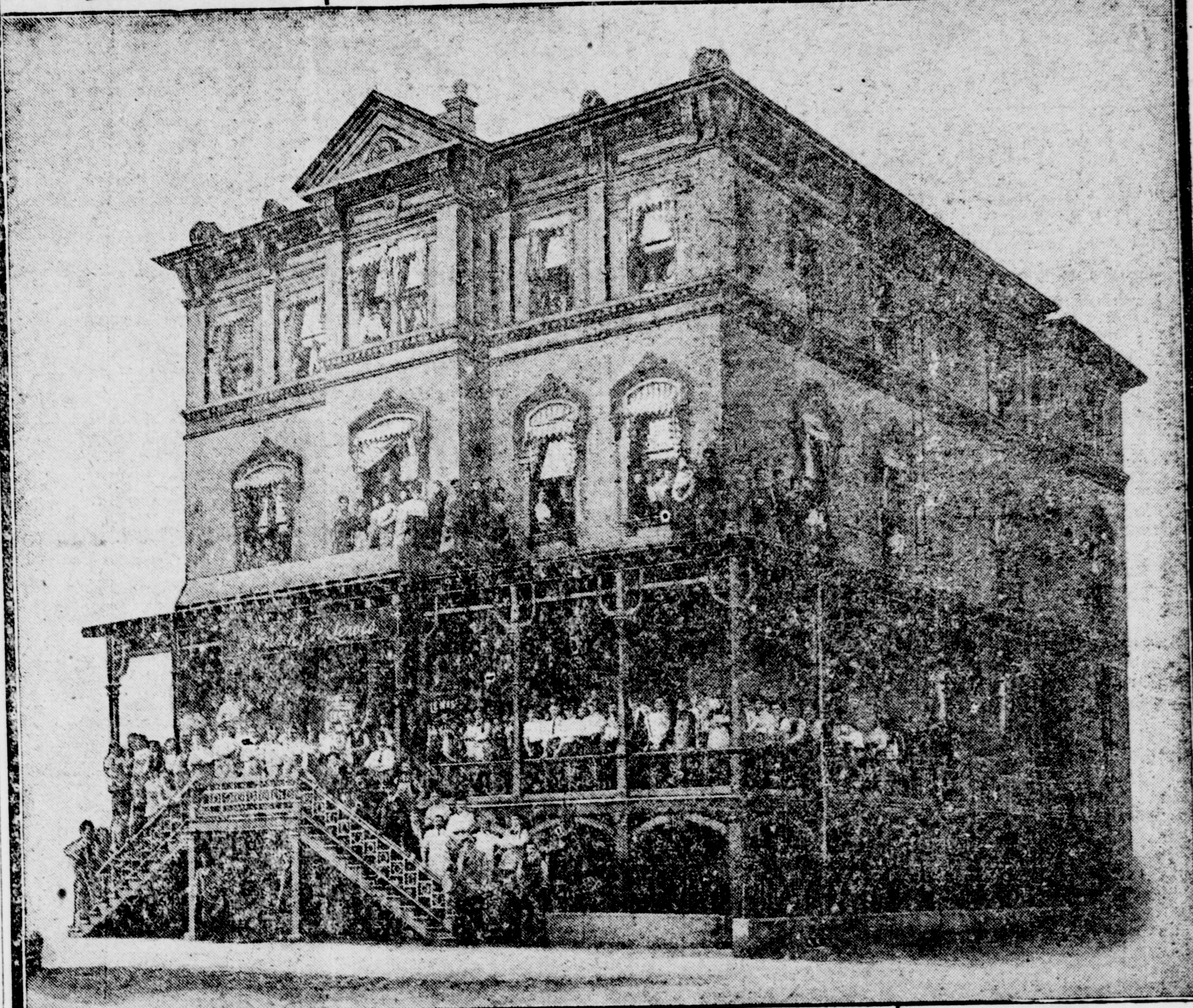
"My first trial was a failure. The cook boiled it four or five minutes and it tasted so flat that I was in despair but determined to give it one more trial. This time we followed the directions and boiled it fifteen minutes after the boiling began. It was a decided success and I was completely won by its rich delicious flavour. In a short time I noticed a decided improvement in my condition and kept growing better and better month after month, until now I am perfectly healthy, and do my work in the school room with ease and pleasure. I would not return to the nerve-destroying regular coffee for any money."

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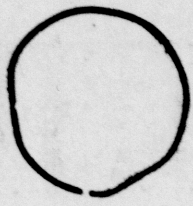
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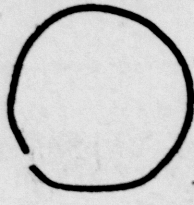
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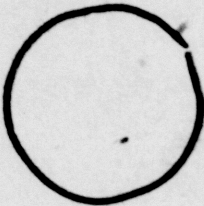
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GIST OF LAW OF HOW TO VOTE

On entering the room where the election is being held the voter will announce his name to the poll clerks who will register him on the poll books, the clerk holding the ballots will then deliver to the voter three different ballots to be voted, namely: The ballot containing the state ticket, the ballot containing the county and precinct ticket and the ballot for the adoption or rejection of statewide prohibition. The voter will then enter the booth

which may be unoccupied and cast his ballot by stamping in the circle beneath the rooster if he desires to vote the democratic ticket and in the circle beneath the eagle if he desires to vote the republican ticket and in the circle beneath (whatever device any device any other party that may be on the ticket may select if he desires to vote that ticket.)

To vote a mixed ticket make a stamp in the square to the left of the name of each candidate you desire to vote for. If you desire to vote for the constitution place a stamp in front of the word "Yes". If you desire to

vote against the constitution place the stamp in front of the word "No". If you desire to vote for statewide prohibition place the stamp in the square in front of the word "Yes". If you desire to vote against statewide prohibition place the stamp in front of the word "No".

The voter will then leave the booth, fold his ballots separately so that no part of the printed ballot will be exposed, and return the stamp to the poll clerk from whom he received it and deliver the ballots to the inspector, or judge temporarily acting as inspector.

LAST CALL TO REGISTER.

When you pick up this paper tonight, if you have not yet registered for the election, drop the paper instantly, pick up your hat, and make a run for the recorder's office. The registration books will close promptly at nine o'clock tonight. At two p. m. a total of 632 voters had registered. There ought to be 100 more. Don't lose the opportunity to cast a patriot's ballot in this great election.

Marriage Licenses.

C. A. Boyd, 20, and Phemie Laura Oliver, 19, Scullin.
J. A. Thompson, 20, and Bertha Truitt, 18, Jesse.
J. C. Mercer, 60 Tate, Arkansas, and Mrs. Edith Coffee, 46, Francis.
Frank Norman, 21, and Mable Farley, 18, Stonewall.
A. W. Nye, 21, and Etta Hunn, 17, Conway.

Prominent Mason in Town.

W. H. Talmage of McAlester, orator of the grand lodge A. F. and A. M., and prominent worker in Scottish Rite, is a visitor in this city today. He says the Masons will hold a big meeting in their splendid new temple at Southtown October 15-16-17. At that time a number of Ada Masons will attend and take the 32nd degree.
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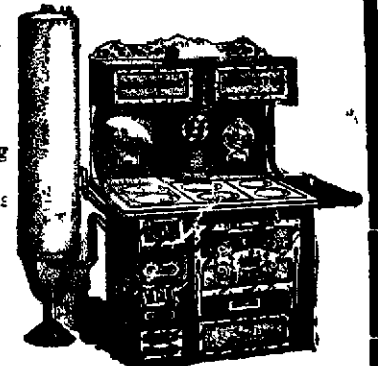
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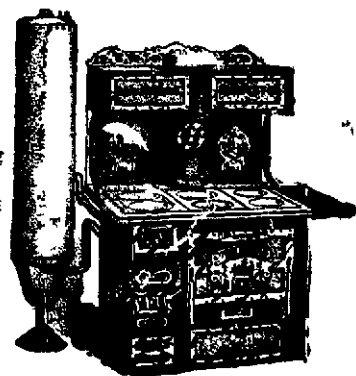
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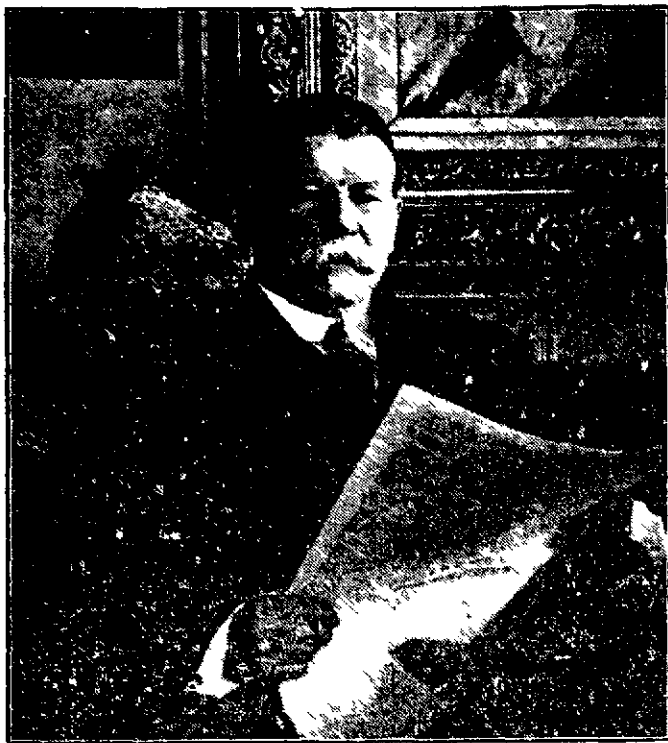
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Porter Winford City Survivor of Enterprise Started at Galesburg in 1838—Thousands of Acres Once Cultivated

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All essential trades then known in the frontier community were represented among the members, most of whom were New Yorkers. All property was turned into the common account and farms were used as outside residences by the men formerly owning them if they wished.

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A legend hangs about the spot where the old hall stood. It is that at the time of the civil war one of the members who had been begging his comrades to start a school for the common school accidentally discovered an old letter filled with coins of French gold.

DEVIL'S TOWER MADE RESERVE

Rock Rises 820 Feet Above Surrounding Country

Deadwood S. D.—President Roosevelt has issued an order setting aside the Devil's tower, a peculiar geological formation in northeastern Wyoming as a national monument and a federal reserve. Over 1,000 acres of land also are set aside with the tower. This reserve will be under the care of the general land office of that district no entries will be allowed on it and every effort will be made to protect the tower from injury.

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HOBOS AT A BANQUET

KNIGHTS OF THE ROAD "FEED" AT SWELL CHICAGO HOTEL.

Over One Hundred Attend Representative Gathering—Washington Flat Falls to Appear as Toastmaster, Owing to Police.

Chicago—The hobo banquet given by the Brotherhood Welfare association at the Windsor Clifford hotel the other night was a huge success despite several little drawbacks such as the nonattendance of Washington Flat the toastmaster who was driven out of town early in the afternoon by the police and the departure of Philadelphia Jack and The Dancing Kid for San Francisco before the beer was served. They explained that they had to catch the 11:10 Q. freight.

Dr. Ben L. Reitman and his aids in the new organization had searched the highways and byways of the city for a representative gathering of hobos and bums and beggars and they found them. There were more than a hundred present—some from the hideout others from the municipal lodging house Hogan's Flop the New York house and the barrel houses of West Madison street.

Several incidents marred the occasion but no one minded. First the hobo who was down for a speech on Why I Hang Around Barrel Houses picked up two many dollars before he came to the banquet and was found under the table when his name was called. Shostet, Chase, a janitor, scandalized his fellows when he was found in roving the golden occasion by passing his hat among the hotel guests during a lull in the banquet.

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Why they don't know the difference between a hobo and a bum said A. No One. I wouldn't associate with a hobo that carries the banner. Why don't they let a suit man talk?

After a dinner as good as a group of hobo boys or merchants could want the hobo program began. Bum Mitt U. in dispersed the course with big chunks of tobacco and tried the hobo insisted on singing. Where is My Wonderful Boy to Night?

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Then the Bum was called on but could not respond so his chum the Rocky Mountain Lemon got up to respond. He started off nobly saying: They do not love who do not show their love. But A. No One yelled: Sit down. You're no hobo. You work. You ain't respectable. So the Lemon sat down.

John Smith a hard faced young man with a collar on, told why the criminal has a hard face. He said he had spent 14 years in penitentiaries beginning his first term at the age of 14. He said it was worry that made the lines.

Old Man Steers 76 years of age, told a pitiful story of seeking work in Chicago and how he was turned down everywhere. My father told me never to be afraid of work he said and I attribute my failure to the fact that I followed Horace Greeley's advice and came west.

While the ex-society man told how to reform society. He wore a gentle brown beard a collar and held his cigar according to the best custom. The Louisville Kid recited a poem called The Seal.

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Wichita Kan.—From telegraph operator working on a salary of less than \$100 a month to affluence and a fortune within five years is the record of Arthur Pauline who in one day cleared \$150,000 by speculating in wheat.

Pauline has been a resident of Wichita about 20 years. During most of that time he has been employed as an operator. At spare times he did work on the wire for commission men gaining an insight of the methods of the market which he turned to advantage when the opportunities presented themselves. As a result he is to-day classed among the wealthiest citizens of Wichita.

Wheat was low when Pauline began to buy around the 70 cent mark. He held on to the wheat he bought until the market was over one dollar (then he sold something like \$25,000) was the result of his investment. He invested the proceeds in Wichita property. That too proved a good investment and he was enabled two years later to clear \$100,000 by the same method. In the recent rise of wheat he bought for 76 cents and sold at 97 1/2 cents, clearing \$150,000.

HINTS FOR THE HOUSEWIFE.

Alcohol will remove candle grease. All vegetables should be put in boiling water.

A brush dipped in salt water should be used in cleaning bamboo furniture. All coats should be washed thoroughly dried and kept for any future use.

Varnished woodwork can be easily cleaned and brightened with crude oil.

If you wish to peel onions and keep cheerful take off the skins under water.

A little raw linseed oil rubbed upon a towel will stop rust cover the pieces with a little blacking and polish.

When running brass rods through window curtains put an old glove finger over the end that is being pushed through the hem. Unless this is done the material is apt to tear.

As hangers like other things are apt to get dirty. Very often there is quite a little collection of rubbish on the hanger and if this is cleared away the improvement in the light is very noticeable.

Salt moistened with vinegar will remove burnt marks from enameled receptacles and dishes but don't forget that they should be soaked in cold water for a few hours first to loosen the stains.

CARE OF PICTURE FRAMES.

May Be Cleaned and Freshened with Little Trouble

The gilt frames of pictures or mirrors if they are not so far gone as to require gilding may be cleaned by a simple washing with spirits of wine or oil of turpentine.

Take a small sponge and having wet it in either of these liquids wring it out thoroughly and then apply. The dirt should not be wiped afterwards in order to dry it. Leave it to dry in the sun.

If paint comes in very nicely when the frames are somewhat bare and worn and want more than a simple washing. But before applying it is essential to have the surfaces perfectly clean.

With a small soft brush or duster remove all dust then gently wash with warm water and a mild soap. Let the frame dry then thin the paint with alcohol and apply with your gold brush.

Do not wet the frame overmuch when washing if for this would remove all the old gilding. A slightly warm sponge is the best thing to use.

Creamed Tongue (Calves)

This is a new dish hailing from Philadelphia and while tasting much like sweetbreads is even more delicate. The tongue used is calves and it may be prepared the day before. Boil in salted water until tender then cool in the water in which it was cooked. Peel and trim off all the tough pieces about the roof then slice in small pieces. When ready to cream in the chafing dish put into the butter two tablespoonsful of butter and three level tablespoonsful of flour. When bubbly and blended add a cup and a half of milk or cream half a tea spoonful of salt a dash of cayenne a galing of nutmeg and a table spoonful of minced parsley. Stir until smooth and creamy add two cupsful of the sliced tongue stir until heated thoroughly then take up on a hot dish and set over the hot water pan while you prepare the potatoes.

Cleaning Plumes

Shave and boil one-half bar of naphtha soap in a granite basin. When thoroughly dissolved add this to a washbowl of warm soft water. Put the plumes in and let remain for about 15 minutes, moving it around in the bowl. After the dirt is loosened up take water of the same temperature to rinse it in. Now lay it on a table or cloth and with a soft brush such as an old toothbrush brush it gently in outward strokes using soap on the brush if necessary. Put it under the faucet and let the water run on it until it is thoroughly clear of the soap. Squeeze the water out but do not twist the feather. Hold it firmly in the palm of the hand. Pin to a curtain to dry with the head up and the fibers falling down toward the end.

Taking Ink Stains From Linen

Turpentine and soap will remove ink stains from linen. A few drops added to water in which clothes are boiled will whiten them. Turpentine will exterminate roaches and also moths if sprinkled about. Turpentine will remove wheel grease pitch and tar stains. A few drops on a woolen cloth will clean tan shoes nicely. Ivory knife handles that become yellow can be restored to their former whiteness by rubbing with turpentine. Carpets can be cleaned and colors restored by dipping in warm water in which a little turpentine is added. An equal mixture of turpentine and linseed oil will remove white spots from furniture caused by water.

Preserved Pineapple

Select ripe fruit, pare and with a small pointed silver knife carefully remove the eyes. Now cut the apple in small square pieces rejecting the core or shred it with a fork. Weigh and allow three quarters of a pound of sugar to each pound of fruit. Put all together in a preserving kettle, stir well and stand in a cool place overnight. In the morning bring slowly to a boil skim and cook gently for half or three quarters of an hour. Pour into jars and seal. A table spoonful of brandy poured in the mouth of the jar just before sealing adds to the richness of the fruit and prevents its softening.

Holds Important Post.



MARTIN A. KNAPP

Mr. Knapp is chairman of the Interstate Commerce Commission and upon him devolves in a great measure the task of solving the relations of the country's railroads to the government.

MONSTER SHIPS BUILT.

NATIONS ORDERING HUGE VESSELS FOR WAR PURPOSES

Thirty Five Monsters of Destruction to Be Added to Battle Craft Afloat by Fall—United States Ships Large

London—The epidemic of monster battleships is spreading. By the close of the present summer no fewer than 25 of these enormous craft will have been completed begun or ordered but of these 30 only seven will fly the British flag. The other 28 belong to foreign powers and this is the first time in the history of the British navy that it has been so grievously outnumbered in the most powerful type of ship.

The monster battleships building completed or to be laid down before the close of the summer of 1907 are as follows:

England—Four Dreadnoughts three Invincibles total seven.
Germany—Four Dreadnoughts two Invincibles total six.
France—Six Dantons total six.
Japan—Four monster battleships two monster cruisers total six.
South American republics—Six Dreadnoughts total six.
United States—Two Michigans two Pacificators total four.

All these ships have been ordered since January 1905. In the five years January 1900 to January 1905 the same group of powers laid down or ordered 47 first class battleships of which 16 were British. Thus in the Dreadnought era the British proportion has enormously declined. In 1905 7 it is only 20 per cent of the battleships of the great naval powers, in 1900 it was 44 per cent.

Another point is very striking. In 1900 4 the British battleships were, on the whole more powerful and larger than those of rival nations the sole exception being the United States. But in 1905 7 many of the foreign battleships and armored cruisers are larger and more powerful than the British ships so that the numerical disadvantage is now accompanied by a disadvantage in quality of ships. Three German four Japanese and two United States ships will be larger than any vessel that the United Kingdom possesses.

It is true that to the above total of British monster ships should be added to battleships which will be begun about January 1906 and possibly a third which may be commenced in March 1906. But even so the British total will be only ten and will

still be below the proportion of a few years ago.

Not only this but for the first time in the history of the British navy the two power standard in large armored ships will have been abandoned. The two power standard is defined by Mr. Laflour in the house of commons this year as equality in numbers to the fleet of any two powers plus a margin of ten per cent. As there are three different groups of two powers each of which is building 12 monster ships this in itself for England 14 monster ships in reply. But when even the ship to be begun so late as March of next year is counted England has only ten and of the ten some may be whittled away by parliament.

CHIHUAHUA DOGS DYING OUT.

Breed of Small, Hairless Canines Becoming Hopelessly Mixed

Washington—Consul General A. L. M. Gottschalk of the City of Mexico, in responding to numerous inquiries from persons in the United States in regard to the purchasing of Chihuahua dogs says:

The Chihuahua dog which as late as 25 years ago was quite commonly to be found in Mexico is a curious little creature popularly supposed to be a cross breed between the prairie dog and the jack rabbit. The animal resembles a small dog whose weight is sometimes not over one and one half pounds, with a disproportionately large head bulging eyes and long ears. The hair is usually scanty, showing the pink skin underneath. One of the marks is said to be an unclosed cranial fissure through which the brain can be felt throbbing underneath the skin. These little animals are particularly destructive and are constantly scratching at things with their long claws. They are quite susceptible to training if taken young and in numerous instances the breed has been domesticated although they seldom show the usual dog traits of sagacious and intelligent attachment.

Unfortunately within the last 25 years the breed has become so largely mixed with small dogs of various mongrel types that it is now a most difficult thing to find in Mexico an example of the true breed. Such are sold occasionally at prices ranging from 200 Mexican pesos (\$39.60 United States currency) upward. Even in Chihuahua these dogs are very rare. A few recent specimens sold in this city are said to have been of the true breed.

FAMOUS INDIAN CHIEF GOES INSANE.

Geronimo Is Guarded Constantly by Apache Scouts.

Lawton, Okla.—Chief Geronimo the great Apache warrior who is said to have scalped more white people than any other living Indian, and who for 20 years has been a prisoner of war on the Fort Sill military reservation near here is reported by an Apache Indian to have completely lost his mind and has to be guarded almost night and day by Apache scouts in the government service.

He wandered away from home the other day and was not seen until midnight being discovered about dark wandering carelessly near Fort Sill watching the highways and murmuring to himself. A carriage approached and he galloped toward it with a ferocious grin that frightened the occupants. He was taken to

charge by two scouts who came up and prevented him following the party.

Geronimo is believed to have grown demented because of the refusal of the war department and the president to grant him liberty or permission to return to Arizona, the scene of his many devastations of villages and slaughtering of whites.

Since his last appeal to the president he has been morose and a few weeks ago his wife the eighth of his career left him to return no more.

Prize for Proposal in Park.

Cleveland O.—Chief Goldsoll of the park police wants notice of the first proposal of marriage in the city parks this spring. He has something nice for a present for the first bride of the summer whose wedding is the outcome of a proposal in the parks.

When is Woman in Her Prime?

The Growing List of Women Who Marry Men Many Years Younger Than Themselves Seems to Show that Charms Are No Longer Certain to Wane Beyond Forty-Five and Even Fifty.

New York—Is there ever a time in a woman's life when the possibility of romance is dead? Is her heart ever stealed to Cupid's shafts? What is a woman's prime of life, anyway? These are serious questions. They have been asked since the beginning of time; doubtless they will be asked to its end. But never has an answer been more frequently demanded than right now in this twentieth century. Practical as it is, these times are far from being shorn of romance.

In youth, in age, woman's power of loving seems always just the same. One day we have maidenly May marrying heavy-bearded December. Next we have mustached May the blushing bridegroom of motherly December. It is all the same—the only safe answer to the question is that there doesn't seem to be any woman in the world who can finally put aside romance for the more practical things of life.

And who could have given more prominence to this very thing than Miss Ellen Terry, premier Shakespearean actress of two continents. She has recently taken to herself a third husband—James Carew. They were married on March 22 last in Pittsburgh by Justice of the Peace Campbell.

Terry's Youthful Husband.

The Pennsylvania law requires certain questions. Young Mr. Carew said he was born in Indiana and was an actor by profession. He owned up to 35 years, but he looked younger. Miss Terry told that she had been married twice before—divorced once and widowed the second time. She gave her birthday as February 27, 1848.

Romance has always played a part in the life of Mrs. Charles T. Yerkes-Mizner. When as the beautiful Mary Adelaide Moore of Philadelphia she met Charles T. Yerkes he was not the multi-millionaire that he was when he died. He had been out of the penitentiary but a little while; still the golden-haired girl loved him and he loved her. They were married. Wealth came faster and faster.

Mr. Yerkes became one of the foremost traction men of this country and Europe. He had a beautiful Chicago home, but Mrs. Yerkes wanted another in New York. So the multi-millionaire built another one—a great brownstone pile in upper Fifth avenue.

He died on December 29, 1905. Within a month along came a handsome six-foot Californian, Wilson Mizner by name. He had a way with the woman that was wonderful, and in the Golden West he had left a reputation as a lady's man which would be hard to duplicate.

He had known Mrs. Yerkes for about a year. He called to express his grief at her sorrow. Here again pity was akin to love. His sympathy was so apparently genuine, his solicitude so tender that the widow was touched very deeply.

Admits Mistake in Marriage.

Young Mr. Mizner himself felt the tail of Cupid. From commiseration he turned to courtship; he won an easy victory after a whirlwind attack on the citadel of the widow's heart. Within a month after Mr. Yerkes' death they were quietly married.

But here the romance died a-borning. Mr. Mizner soon shook the dust of Fifth avenue from his feet, and Mrs. Yerkes-Mizner declared that it had all been a mistake.

But now the case of Mizner vs. Mizner is even before the court.

Death alone robbed Mrs. Frank Leslie of a fourth marriage. When the Marquis de Campanille, a Spanish noble, died in Paris recently, Mrs. Leslie—that is the name by which she chooses to be known—told to her friends that she had promised to be his bride. Her trousseau had already been made in Paris, the wedding set for early this month.

But the marquis suddenly passed away. And now Mrs. Leslie has sailed for Europe to join the marquis' family.

Many Times Married.

Mrs. Leslie was the beautiful Miriam Florence Folline of New Orleans. Her first husband was E. O. Squier, afterwards United States commissioner to Peru, from whom she separated. She then married Frank Leslie, the rich publisher. After his death she became a bride for the third time, marrying "Willie" Wilde, brother of

the late Oscar Wilde. She divorced this husband because he was too much of a spendthrift, among other things.

Romance has always played a foremost role in the life of Patti, the divine. New York has known her these 50 years and more, but Europe has been the place where she has ever fallen prey to Cupid's darts.

The great diva was born in 1843, the morning after her mother, Mme. Barilli had sung Norma with great elan. In 1851, Patti, at the tender age of eight, was also singing, but her real debut was in this city in 1859. Her singing made a furore; her success was instantaneous.

Seven years later she met the Marquis de Caux, of an honored French family. They were both in love and a marriage was arranged by no less a personage than the Empress Eugenie.

Won Heart of Diva.

Then in 1871 she met the tenor, Ernesto Nicolini. For Patti he changed the whole current of the diva's life. Signor Nicolini was a singer of no very remarkable ability. The great songstress loved the man, who persisted in following her all over Europe, though there was a Signora Nicolini and several little Nicolinis.

But Nicolini was persistence itself. He was a friend of the Marquis de Caux, who found out one day how matters stood. He forbade the singer the house. This made the diva furious. He also refused to allow his wife to sing. This was the last straw. They separated; a divorce was finally obtained in 1884. The Nicolinis were made twain, too.

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of England's foremost politicians, made a trip to America and fell in love with the clever New York girl. Their marriage in Grace church was a notable event.

The pair returned to England. Lady Randolph's tact and cleverness had much to do with her husband's success in statecraft, as all England knew. Lord Randolph Churchill died in 1895, leaving his wife \$250,000.

Four years later at Cowes Lady Randolph met young Lieutenant West, son of a family that had much pride but little money. It was love at first sight between the comely widow of 52 and the young officer of 25, younger than her youngest son.

The marriage of beautiful "Kitty" Dudley to Leslie Carter, millionaire, in 1890 proved unhappy. They were divorced in 1899, and the young ex-wife with the glorious Titian hair went on the stage, where she achieved not only fame but fortune.

Broadway is still talking about her marriage last summer while in Boston on an auto trip with a party of friends. It was all very sudden. Young Mr. Payze, only a trifle older than Mrs. Carter's son, Dudley, proposed one day; they were married almost the next.

Mrs. Burnett in the List.

Take Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett, for example, author of "Little Lord Fauntleroy" and other successful works for old and young. Mrs. Burnett was Miss Hodgson in 1873 when she married Dr. S. M. Burnett at the age of 23. A quarter of a century later they were divorced; two years afterward Mrs. Burnett, then a woman of 50, fell in love with Stephen Townsend, Englishman, physician, author and actor. They were married in 1900.

Then another literary romance had its culmination when that talented writer, Elizabeth Stuart Phelps, married Herbert Ward. She was the gifted authoress, her genius matured at 44. He was the Andover theologian of 27, eager to enter the ministry.

Professor Phelps of the seminary, liked the enthusiastic youth, and he

invited him to his house. There Mr. Ward met the authoress. He was fascinated by her brilliancy.

Gradually the young student's aspirations turned from the ministry to literature. Miss Phelps was his inspiration. What followed was—love. Their friends were amazed. They were married in October, 1888.

To-day Mrs. Ward is 62 years old and Mr. Ward is 45.

And in the news of only a day or two ago comes the announcement of two more such marriages. In Worcester, Mass., Mrs. Antoine Kiehlman, widowed three times, possessed of \$1,000,000 and 46 years old, married Martin Moneta, ten years her junior and a poor photographer. Here in New York Mrs. Ada Jaffray McVickar announces her engagement to Herman P. Trappe. Mrs. McVickar has five sons, two of them married. Mr. Trappe is 30.

Who now shall dare to say what a woman's prime really is, or when she can forget romance and Cupid's call?

'Evarts a Lover of Dogs.

Maxwell Evarts, son of former Senator William M. Evarts, is a big lawyer who lives in Vermont, practices law in New York and raises old English sheep dogs for fun. He has the best dogs of that breed in this country.

Has Risen to High Position.

Among the textile kings of New England is Walter H. Langshaw, of New Bedford, Mass. He rose rapidly from the humble position of barefooted bobbin boy to a man who now controls the most successful cotton mill in the world.

RELICS OF CRUSOE

HIS OLD GUN WAS RECENTLY SOLD AT AUCTION.

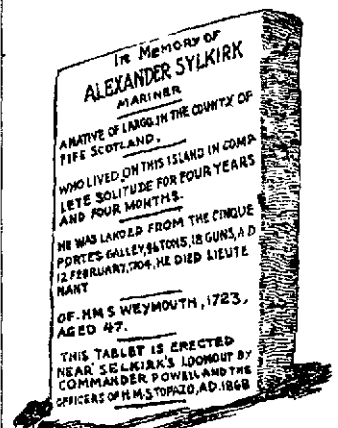
On Juan Fernandez Many Evidences of Selkirk's Residence Still Exist—A Tablet to His Memory.

Every one who has read Robinson Crusoe will be interested to learn that the trusty old musket the shipwrecked sailor used during the four years he lived on the deserted island off the Chilean coast is now in possession of Miss Huldah B. White of No. 201 North Thirty-fourth street, Philadelphia.

Miss White, while recently traveling in England, learned that the famous gun, which had been an heirloom in the Selkirk family for two centuries, was to be sold at auction in Edinburgh. Being a collector of curios, she sent an agent to the sale, and after some spirited bidding he secured the prize for \$163.75.

The relic is in an excellent state of preservation. The flintlock still works on its hinges and answers to the touch of the trigger. The old weapon is almost six feet long.

About 351 miles to the westward of the Chilean coast is a group of three small islands known as the archipelago of Juan Fernandez, and named, respectively, Mas a Tierra, Mas a Fuera and Santa Clara. Mas a Tierra, better known as Juan Fernandez, is the one upon which Selkirk lived for years as a castaway. He was not wrecked, as De Foe causes Crusoe to be, but was sent ashore by Capt. Stradling, with a few personal effects, which included his seaman's chest, the famous fire lock, one pound of powder, some bullets, tobacco, a hatchet, a knife, a Bible and his mathematical instru-



Tablet to Crusoe.

ments and books. It is said that Selkirk was put ashore at his own request, but he probably had no choice in the matter. It was either banishment or death on the gallows.

For four years and four months Selkirk lived his lonely life on the uninhabited island. He made clothes from goat skins when his own were worn so ragged. He killed goats, of which there was an abundance on the island, with his musket, and when finally his powder gave out he killed them by hand. He became so fleet of foot in time that no animal could outrun him.

Two years ago Prof. G. T. Hastings and A. Incheble, both from Cornell university, accompanied an expedition sent out by the Chilean government to study the interesting flora of the island. They took photographs of the familiar spots made famous by De Foe. They found everything just as Selkirk had described it in his diary. There was the cave up in the hillside in which he had dwelt during his long exile, the stockade he had erected for defense against a possible foe was there, too, so also was "Lookout Mountain," situated on the highest peak of the island. From this point Selkirk used to scan the ocean for the gleam of friendly sail. But he was far from the beaten track, and it was years before he was rescued. An iron tablet has been erected in memory of Selkirk near the lookout. The tablet reads:

In memory of Alexander Selkirk, a native of Largo, in the county of Fife, Scotland, who lived on this island in complete solitude for four years and four months. He was landed from the Claque Portes galleon, 38 tons, in 1704, at 12 P. M. on February 12, 1704. He died a lieutenant of H. M. S. Weymouth, 1723, aged 47. This tablet is erected near Selkirk's lookout by Commander Powell and officers of H. M. S. Topaze, A. D. 1905.

Selkirk was rescued in 1709. The signal fire he burned nightly had been seen by Commander Wood Rogers of the privateer Duque, and the following day the exile was taken on board and once more brought in contact with human beings.

Belonged to Him.

"She was my woman. I had a right to kill her." Moroso and sullen, Max Kredich declared this in the Butler (Pa.) county jail the other day while he was awaiting trial for the murder of his wife. "I go free," protested the wife slayer, when the prospect of his trial was suggested. "It's none of their business." When he struck down his wife in their home at Lyndora last December, half a dozen boarders in his house strove to restrain him from abusing the little woman for an hour before he broke her neck with a blow of his bulky fist. Then he went at them with a butcher knife, shouting, "It is nobody's business if I kill her."

HIS HEAD IN A CAN.

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U. G. WINN.
Republican Nominee for State Senator in 23rd District.

While U G Winn's political affiliation is opposite to that of The News while The News does not want to see him elected state senator will vote against him—still such is the importance of the office sought and Judge Winn's prominence as a citizen of Pontotoc county, that a sketch of him is published below in order that all voters may know what sort of man for or against whom they are to vote.
Born in Missouri 43 years ago U G Winn grew to manhood in the state of Arkansas. In 1893 he emigrated to Indian Territory, residing successively in Rush Springs, Duncan Center, and Ada until 1902 when he located in Ada his home continuously since.
Left an orphan during his infancy reared to work on a farm young Winn early acquired habits of industry and thrift and self reliance, and the capacity for hard work which have characterized the man throughout his career.
He was educated in the common schools the state normal and the state University of Arkansas attending the law department at Little Rock. Beginning to teach while yet in his teens, he followed that profession for a number of years, almost continuously until he took up the practice of law in 1915. But Judge Winn never got

over his innate fondness for the farm. Whether teaching, selling goods, in the real estate business, or practicing law, he ever maintained farming and stock raising interests, and at this time, despite the demands of legal business, he finds time to look well after his crops and stock.
His career in the law fairly began when he removed in 1896 to Center, the then metropolis of this section. From 1897 to 1901 he served as U S court commissioner at that place. After residing the following year in Roff, he removed to Ada the new metropolis where at once he took an enviable position at the bar. In January 1906, he was again appointed a U S court commissioner which position he now holds.
In whatever business Judge Winn has engaged, whether public or private, he has been signally successful. He stands high at home and abroad. He was a prominent pioneer in the single statehood movement, occupying responsible positions in the organized effort. For several years he has been conspicuous in the councils of his party, being now one of the five composing the republican state executive committee.
Such are Judge Winn's standing and qualifications that at the recent Muskogee convention the delegates turned to him with honor accord as their decided choice to represent Pontotoc and Seminole counties in the first state senate

WANT ANOTHER RAILROAD.
It is said nothing is being done by the 2,000 Club toward securing the M O & G R. It has been decided to wait until statehood is an accomplished fact.
But would it not be well for a committee on a dependable man to be charged with the duty of keeping in touch with the situation? Without coming to definite conclusions Ada could keep abreast with the progress of the road and could assure its holders that Ada wants it to come here.
The most practical project for Ada's next road probably is a route to the southwest, through Sulphur and Ardmore. Both of these towns are interested in such a project. In a recent meeting of the Ardmore commercial club it was thoroughly and favorably discussed. It was the opinion of the men at that meeting that the M O & G R could be induced to build a branch from Ada down that way. Ardmore is eager for something new doing, as every town should be, and will gladly co-operate with Ada in such an enterprise, and a little procrastination might result in the loss of a big opportunity.
The 25,000 Club of Ada should keep something on tap—that is, something good, something that smacks of town building. Otherwise we might come to a stagnant standstill.
WHO WANTS STATEHOOD?
The republicans have accused the democrats of trying to kill statehood. In these times, however, action speaks louder than words, even the words of a politician.
The enabling act provided that the territorial officials of Oklahoma should call and conduct the state election after a constitution had been formed. When it was apparent that there would not be funds enough in the congressional appropriation to pay the expenses of an election and of the constitutional convention Col Robert L. Owens went to Washington and got the senate to make an appropriation to cover the deficiency. When it came up in the house Fird McGuire (republican) had a proposition killed.
Who wanted statehood?
When the constitutional convention was in session and there was a demand for lots of printing and no funds to pay for it the Guthrie Letter (democratic) printed thousands of dollars worth of public printing for the constitutional convention with Secretary Filson (republican) saving all the time that he would not pay the bill.
Who wanted statehood then?
When it came for printing the ballots for the state election, Secretary Filson called for bids and to every prospective bidder he wrote that there was no money to pay for the work when it was done that the territorial officers would not appropriate a cent for it and the printer who got the job would have take chances of getting his money from other sources. But he could not block statehood in that way.
Because Col J J McAlester, a war horse of democracy in this state for twenty-five years, came forward and put up the necessary money to print the ballots, \$12,450, saying that he would pay and take his chances in the state or congress being more honest in the discharge of its obligations than the present republican officers.
If actions speak, who wants statehood, the democrats or the republican carpetbaggers who are trying to freeze onto their jobs?
Who wants statehood?
—Muskogee Times-Democrat
Railroads.
Commissioner Colquitt issues exhaustive statement on 2c passenger fare question.
Wichita Falls and Southern track

laid to Wichita Lake
Eighth of October fixed for hearing on sleeping car proposition by commission
Katy starts work on Dallas freight yards enlargement
Commissioner Mayfield and Engineer Thompson to inspect railroad yards at Denison
Recognition of Nacogdoches South-eastern as common carrier suspended by commission, hearing October 8 includes two other small roads
Missouri Pacific Iron Mountain system voluntarily increases clerk's pay 10 per cent
Dealers and commercial travelers begin concerted movement to fight excess baggage rates in states having 2c passenger fare laws
Fifteenth convention of traveling engineers opens at Chicago
International and Great Northern meeting held at Galveston to discuss movement of season's cotton
Individual car owners meet at Chicago and form plans to fight diversion of cars
Work on all improvements of the Central Georgia railway ordered stopped
Domestic.
Session of the grand jury to investigate charges against the Chicago and Alton railroad postponed until September 24
Havana masons on strike for payment of wages in American money, believed to be forerunner of general movement
Large portion of Kentucky threatened with a coal famine
President Roosevelt to leave Oyster Bay on September 25, instead of September 23
Three Italians, believed to be ring-leaders of the Black Hand, arrested in New York
Attorney General Bonaparte to ask congress for a largely increased appropriation to be expended in prosecuting under anti-trust law
United States Senator Newlands delivers an address before the National Irrigation Congress, in session at Sacramento Cal
Hearing in government suit to dissolve Standard Oil Company postponed until Thursday

To the Voter of the 23rd Senatorial District:
I am a candidate on the republican ticket for state senator from the 23rd senatorial district, composing the counties of Pontotoc and Seminole.
I respectfully solicit the vote and influence of all persons who believe in sound government, economical administration and a square deal for every person, regardless of his political affiliation or condition in life.
My residence in the Indian Territory for thirteen years and practical knowledge of the conditions in this part of the new state and the needs

of the important trust which I seek.
If you are in favor of a "square deal" and the enactment of laws, that will stand as a monument to the future welfare of our new state, I will thank you for your vote and influence.
Very respectfully,
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U. G. WINN.
Deafness Cannot Be Cured
by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.
We will give one hundred dollars for any case of deafness caused by catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free. J. F. Cheney & Co, Toledo, Ohio. Sold by druggists 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for Constipation.

THE LAST CALL
If you have not registered by Friday night, September 8th, you will not be allowed to vote for the constitution, your party candidate or for or against prohibition. You should take a pride in voting in the first state election. For heaven's sake, register.

\$8.00
TO
Galveston
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VIA
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Tickets on sale Sept 8th, good to return until Sept. 18, 1907.
I. MCNAIR, Agent,
Ada, Ind. Ter.

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When you buy an Allwin Folding Go-cart you are buying an article whose very name is a synonym of durability, strength, ease of operation and utility.
The Allwin lasts longer, stands more hard use and gives better satisfaction than any other folding go cart on the market.
Ask your neighbor who has one or come and see for yourself the many good points of the Allwin which makes it superior to all others.
— BUY THE ALLWIN —
SOLD BY
Ada Furniture and Coffin Co.

Have Your Prescriptions Filled
AT
RAMSEY'S
The Live and Let Live Drug Store.

GRADUATE OPTICIAN

W J Beatty, Graduate Optician, lately of St. Louis, has been employed in our store and will be pleased to attend to your eye troubles.
SPRAGUE BROS.

President Roosevelt Said:

"Texas is the Garden Spot of the Lord"

95,000 Acres Ranch of Dr. Chas. F. Simmons Now On the Market.

Here is Your Opportunity to Buy a Farm of from 10 Acres. to 640 and Two Town Lots in This "Garden Spot" for \$210. Payable \$10 per Month Without Interest.

Investigation will show that this 95,000-acre ranch comprises one of the finest bodies of Agricultural and Truck Farming land in the entire state, commencing about 36 miles south of San Antonio and about two miles south of Pleasanton (the county seat of Atascosa County), and extending through Atascosa and a part of McMullen Counties, to within 17 miles of my 60,000-acre Live Oak County Ranch, which I in four months last year, sold to 4,000 Home Seekers, on liberal terms, without interest on deferred payments, which gives the poor man, from his savings, a chance to secure a good farm and town lot for his home to town. I will donate and turn over to three bonded Trustees, \$250,000 from the proceeds of the sale of this property to the purchasers, as a bonus to the first railroad built through this property on the line which I shall designate.

This property is located on that middle plain between East Texas, where it rains too much, and the arid section of West Texas, where it does not rain enough.

Its close proximity to San Antonio, the largest city in the State, with a claimed population of over 100,000, enhances its value as a market for Agricultural and Truck farm products far beyond the value of similar land not so favorably located.

Topography.
Level to slightly rolling. Large, broad, rich valleys, encircled by elevations suitable for homes: 90 per cent. fine farming land, balance pasture land.

Forestry.
Ash, Elm, Gum, Hackberry, Live Oak, Mesquite, Pecan, abundant for shade, fencing and wood.

Soil.
About 60 per cent. rich, dark, sandy loam, balance chocolate or red sandy loam, usually preferred by local farmers, and each with soil averaging from 2 to 4 feet deep, with clay subsoil, which holds water.

Climate.
Mild, balmy, healthy, practically free from malaria, few frosts, no snow, no hard freezes; continuous sea breeze moderates extremes of heat and cold, producing warm winters and cool summers. Average temperature about 62 degrees.

Rainfall.
From the Government record, it is safe to assume that the rainfall on this property has been fully 35 inches per year, which is more than some of the old States have had, and is plentiful for ordinary crops properly cultivated, and for Grass Growing.

Improvements and Water.
This property is fenced and cross-fenced in many large and small pastures, with four barbed wires, with posts about 12 feet apart. Also a number of fine shallow wells.

Also a number of fine Lakes and Tanks.

Also, a number of fine flowing Artesian Wells, whose crystal streams flow for miles and miles down those creeks, whose broad, rich valleys, irrigable from those continuously flowing streams, make it the ideal place for the Marketing Gardener who desires to raise from two to three crops of marketable produce on the same ground every year.

Farming and Truck Farming.
Seasons never end.

This land is adapted to profitable culture of Beans, Cabbage, Celery, Cucumbers, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Beets, Carrots, Onions, Radish, Squash, Strawberries, Cauliflower, Okra, Oyster Plant, Peas, Raspberries, Turnips, Apricots, Cantaloupes, Grapes, Irish Potatoes, Olives, Sweet Potatoes, Plantains, Dates, English Walnuts, Figs, Melons, Peanuts, Barley, Blackberries, Broom Corn, Lemons, Plums, Tobacco, Alfalfa, Rye, Oranges, Peaches, Pecans, Corn, Cotton, Oats, Wheat, Apples, Pears.

Page 63 of the book entitled "Beautiful San Antonio," officially issued by the Business Men's Club of San Antonio, dated May, 1906, says:

"It is readily conceded by all those who know anything about Texas that the most prolific agricultural section is that which recognizes San Antonio as its logical center, particularly that portion directly south of San Antonio, with the Gulf of Mexico bordering on the southeast and the Rio Grande bordering on the south and west.

"Within the last four or five years, in the territory named, special attention has been given to growing vegetables, they maturing at a time when they secure the maximum prices on Northern markets, which markets they virtually invade without a competitor. The profit in growing vegetables in this territory will be seen by an examination of the following figures, secured from reliable sources, showing

Net Earnings Per Acre:
"Watermelons from \$75.00 to \$200.00.
"Cantaloupes from \$40.00 to \$150.00.
"Cabbage from \$125.00 to \$275.00.
"Cauliflower from \$75.00 to \$225.00.
"Beans and Peas from \$100.00 to \$125.00.
"Tomatoes from \$125.00 to \$400.00.
"Potatoes from \$60.00 to \$150.00.
"Onions from \$50.00 to \$100.00.
"Tobacco Peppers from \$500.00 to \$900.00 per acre.
"The Chicago Record-Herald publishing the following individual experiences in South Texas:
"Men who came here with \$500 and \$800 a few years ago are now independently rich.
"A young man who came to this

AROUND THE CIRCLE

HOW THE PRACTICE OF HOME TRADE HELPS EVERYBODY.

THE RESULT OF ADVERTISING

An Increased Use of Printers' Ink in the Local Paper Brought Prosperity to the Entire Community.

"You'll have to stay over Sunday, Mary, so I can have a chance for a visit with you. Can't possibly get the time through the week. Business too lively."

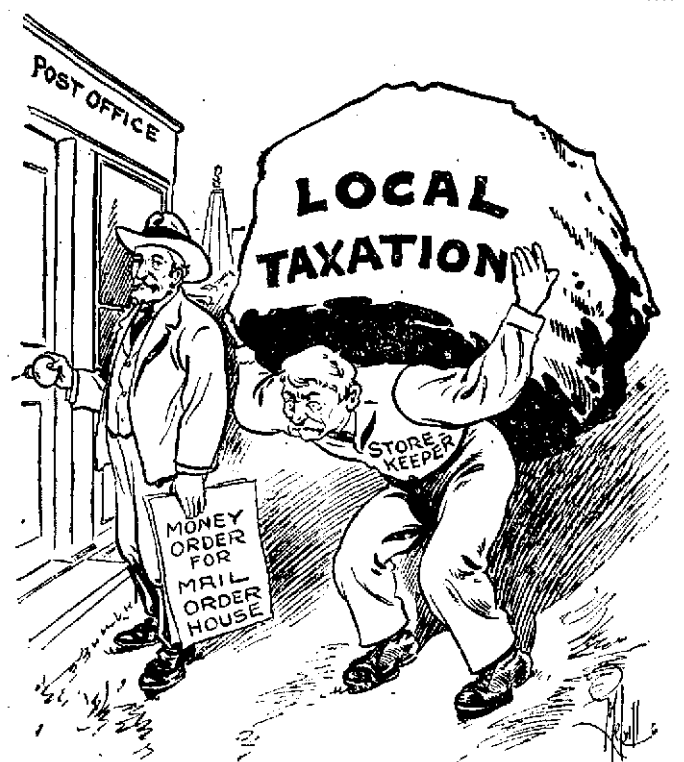
"Things must be getting better with you, John. Last time I was here you seemed to have lots of time to spare. Said business had gone to the dogs, or rather to the multi-order houses. What made the change?"

"Well, to tell the truth, Mary, I just wakened up one day and thought I would give them fellows in the city a little of their own medicine. I got onto the fact that they were killing me by feeding the people around here on printer's ink in the way of advertising, and while I know most of what they said was lies the people didn't know it, and I started in to show them what I could do. Not at

ing they voted me a raise in salary for the coming year. In a talk made by Brother Jones he explained that this was possible because the people were keeping their money at home rather than sending it to the catalogue houses of the cities. Brother Frank (the postmaster) explained that the money order business of his office had dropped to almost nothing within the past six months. He said that less than a year ago he was handling more than \$1,000 each month in the shape of money orders, and that now the total is not one-fourth of that. I understand that they will also increase the school teacher's salary next term."

"A 12-page paper this week; I see. Anything special doing?"

"Not at all. That's to be the regular size of the Record in the future. The increase in business warrants it. The campaign of advertising being conducted by the merchants forced me to increase the size or encroach upon my reading matter columns, and so I increased. Then, too, my subscription list is growing. People who never took the paper before say they want it now if for nothing more than to keep posted on the prices the merchants are quoting. Business in the Record office is booming all around. I have had to advertise for two more job printers, and have just ordered a new printing press. By the way, is that horse you offered me some time ago still on the



The local merchant who must bear the burden of local taxation is entitled to the assistance of every resident of the community. When you send your dollars to the mail-order houses of the city you but add to the load he must carry. Keep your dollars at home.

lying, you know, but at selling good goods as cheap as the city fellows did, and lots of times a little cheaper.

"I went to the local paper and pretty near scared the editor to death by ordering a half page of each issue for six months. Then I set about seeing what I had to sell that the people would want. I really didn't know what was in that store until I started to look it over. Some of the things had been there so long I had forgotten about them. I hauled them out and put a bargain sale price on them, told the people about them in the next week's Record, and gave the prices, and say, I just couldn't get them things wrapped up fast enough. Ever since then I've just been buying and selling, buying and selling. Seems like nothing stays in the store. Have hired two more clerks, and they're everlastingly telling me we're out of this, that or the other thing. I found that telling the people what you've got and what you are willing to sell them for pays. I've paid off that mortgage that's been hanging over us for the last ten years, and gave \$100 to the new church building besides, and it's advertising that did it.

"You'll stay over Sunday, won't you? I've got to go to the store now."

"Jones ordered a new delivery wagon this morning, Jane. Said since the folks around here had started to trade at home and quit sending so much money to the mail-order houses he simply had to have it. You can have what I make on that wagon to get that new dress with that you've been wanting. Wish you'd buy it of Jones though for he always trades with me."

"Yes, sir, I figure I'm ahead a little more than the freight on that buggy, besides getting a better buggy than you got. I intended to send away for mine, too, like you did, but I saw Brown's advertisement telling the kind of a buggy he had and the price, and I concluded I'd look at it first. He's making better prices than the catalogue fellows, and he's paying the freight besides. I figure that I saved just about enough on that buggy to pay the doctor's bill for Molly's sickness, and then, besides, Brown ordered his bay of me, and he's paying a good price for it, too."

"Now, my dear, you may engage Miss Herman to give Princess music lessons for the wave of prosperity in the community has struck the main-

Five-Looking Royal Couple.
The king and queen of Denmark are indeed a regal-looking couple. King Frederick is a giant in stature, while his consort is the tallest royal woman in Europe. She is also the richest, having inherited a great deal of property from her father, the late King Charles of Sweden, besides the immense fortune of her mother, who was one of the richest heiresses of the nineteenth century. Her majesty is deeply religious.

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Miss Pert (maliciously)—And it's aggravating, too, isn't it?

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The Diplomatist.

It used to be said that a diplomatist was a man who was sent abroad to his country. To-day it would be much nearer the truth to say that a diplomatist is a man who is sent abroad to tell the truth for his country. A most interesting account has recently been given of the petition for better treatment of the Jews, and the protest against the Kishinev massacres. In order to gratify the signers of the petition, the state department forwarded it to Ambassador McCormick at St. Petersburg, although well aware that the Russian government could take no official cognizance of it. When the paper was laid on the table before Count Lansdorf, he said, "You know I cannot receive this." Then, according to the story which is reported by Collier's, Mr. McCormick replied, "Let us talk for a few minutes as man to man. You are Count Lansdorf, and I am not an ambassador, but merely Mr. McCormick. The time has come when you can no longer disregard public opinion. The whole world is aroused. Do me the great favor personally, of keeping this for two or three days. Then if you are still of the same mind, send it back to me and no more will be said." In the end Count Lansdorf showed the petition to the czar, who was sufficiently impressed by it to ameliorate somewhat the condition of the Jews.

Science Vs. Charlatanism.

Nothing in years has made the chemists rage together so furiously as the exploited "discovery" of a compound which will make ashes burn better than coal. Of one formula—we are aware that this was not the first tried in a hotel boiler room the other day—Prof. Gill, of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, says, "It contains nothing, nor can it make anything, that in any way will aid combustion." Even if the inventor's preposterous theory of its working be accepted, the professor says that the heating capacity of a gallon of the mixture would be about equal to that of a piece of coal the size of a pea. "Why," the scientific men all ask, "does this piece of charlatanism get itself spread broadcast over the country when discoveries of real scientific importance go unheralded?" We do not know of any reason which would not apply equally to medical nostrums. They create sensations because of the prodigious value they would have if they were only real. The inventors of ash-burning formulae, remarks the New York Post, might well ask their academic critics to point to any achievement of science within, say, 27 years that would benefit directly and indirectly so many people as a method for burning ashes.

Naming the Spanish baby the prince of the Asturias is just a temporary arrangement until the geographers and the philologists can get together and, with the aid of relays of stenographers, fix up a permanent name for the helpless infant. The real and official name of a Spanish king is like a Chinese play. You read part of it to-day and come back to-morrow and the day after to get the rest. It embraces everything that the historians can think of and a few more smooth-sounding words thrown in for good measure. One would judge from reading the official title of King Alfonso XIII., for instance, that he was the supreme ruler of the earth, the air, the waters under the earth and New Mexico, Alaska, Patagonia and all intermediate points. If you will notice, their photographs show that nearly all the recent kings of Spain were stooped-shouldered. That came from trying to carry their full names around with them.

One of the modern improvements in mail service which the United States government has been foremost in adopting is the establishment of "sea post offices." This means the providing of facilities on ocean-going steamers by which mail is assorted on board and delivery thereby expedited. It is represented that mail thus disposed of reaches the intended destination 12 hours earlier than by the old system. Postmaster General Meyer approves the plan and contemplates extension of the arrangement. He is preparing to create at least two more of these "post offices" on vessels carrying American mail to Europe, the result of which will be highly pleasing to postal patrons.

The German press is strongly opposed to the Kaiser's fifth son making a tour of America, saying that "only evil can come to him in that land of dollars and machines." Can it be that the prowess of our automobiles has extended to the Fatherland?

A man out in Montana predicts that the world will come to an end in ten days, and is selling off his property in anticipation of the coming finale. But what does he propose to do with the money?

A WONDERFUL GAIN.

A Utah Pioneer Tells a Remarkable Story.

J. W. Browning, 1011 23d St., Ogden, Utah, a pioneer who crossed the plains in 1848, says: "Five years ago the doctors said I had diabetes. My kidneys were all out of order, I had to rise often at night, looked sallow, felt dull and listless and had lost 40 pounds. My back ached and I had spells of rheumatism and dizziness. Doan's Kidney Pills relieved me of these troubles and have kept me well for a year past. Though 75 years old, I am in good health."

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Hard to Realize.

"Mother," said a college student who had brought his chum home for the holidays, "permit me to present my friend, Mr. Specknoodle."

His mother, who was a little hard of hearing, placed her hand to her ear.

"I'm sorry, George, but I didn't quite catch your friend's name. You'll have to speak a little louder, I'm afraid."

"I say, mother," shouted George, "I want to present Mr. Specknoodle."

"I'm sorry, George, but Mr. —"

What was the name again?"

"Mr. Specknoodle!" George fairly yelled.

The old lady shook her head sadly.

"I'm sorry, George, but I'm afraid it's no use. It sounds just like Specknoodle to me. Everybody's Magazine."

SORES AS BIG AS PENNIES.

Whole Head and Neck Covered—Hair All Came Out—Cured in Three Weeks by Cuticura.

"After having the measles my whole head and neck were covered with scaly sores about as large as a penny. They were just as thick as they could be. My hair all came out. I let the trouble run along, taking the doctor's blood remedies and rubbing on salve, but it did not seem to get any better. It stayed that way for about six months; then I got a set of the Cuticura Remedies, and in about a week I noticed a big difference, and in three weeks it was well entirely and I have not had the trouble any more, and as this was seven years ago, I consider myself cured. Mrs. Henry Porter, Albion, Neb., Aug. 25, 1906."

Royal Scion Does Good Work.

The duke of Abruzzi, now a visitor in this country, pronounces it as though it were spelled "Ah-brooz-zee," with the accent on the second syllable. Although only 34 years old, he has done a deal of hard work and has had many hazardous experiences. He is the son of a Spanish king who abdicated under pressure. The son early in life took service in the Italian navy. Then he went in for exploration and mountaineering and in such pursuits has traveled all over the world. The duke has written acceptably of his wanderings and has won honors for several scientific societies.

Where He Met Him.

He was one of those smart men who like to show their cleverness.

"Watch me take a rise out of him," he said, as the tramp approached. Then he listened solemnly to the tale of hard luck.

"That's the same old story you told me the last time you accosted me," he said, when the vagrant had finished.

"Is it?" was the answering question.

"When did I tell it to you?"

"Last week."

"Mebbe I did, mebbe I did," admitted the tramp. "I'd forgotten meeting you. I was in jail all last week."

An Ill Wind, Etc.

"Her marriage was very unfortunate, wasn't it?" "Oh, no; she considers it quite fortunate." "Why, I understand she was divorced." "Exactly, and her divorce was the opening of her stage career, which is now very promising."

CHILDREN SHOWED IT

Effect of Their Warm Drink in the Morning.

"A year ago I was a wreck from coffee drinking and was on the point of giving up my position in the school room because of nervousness."

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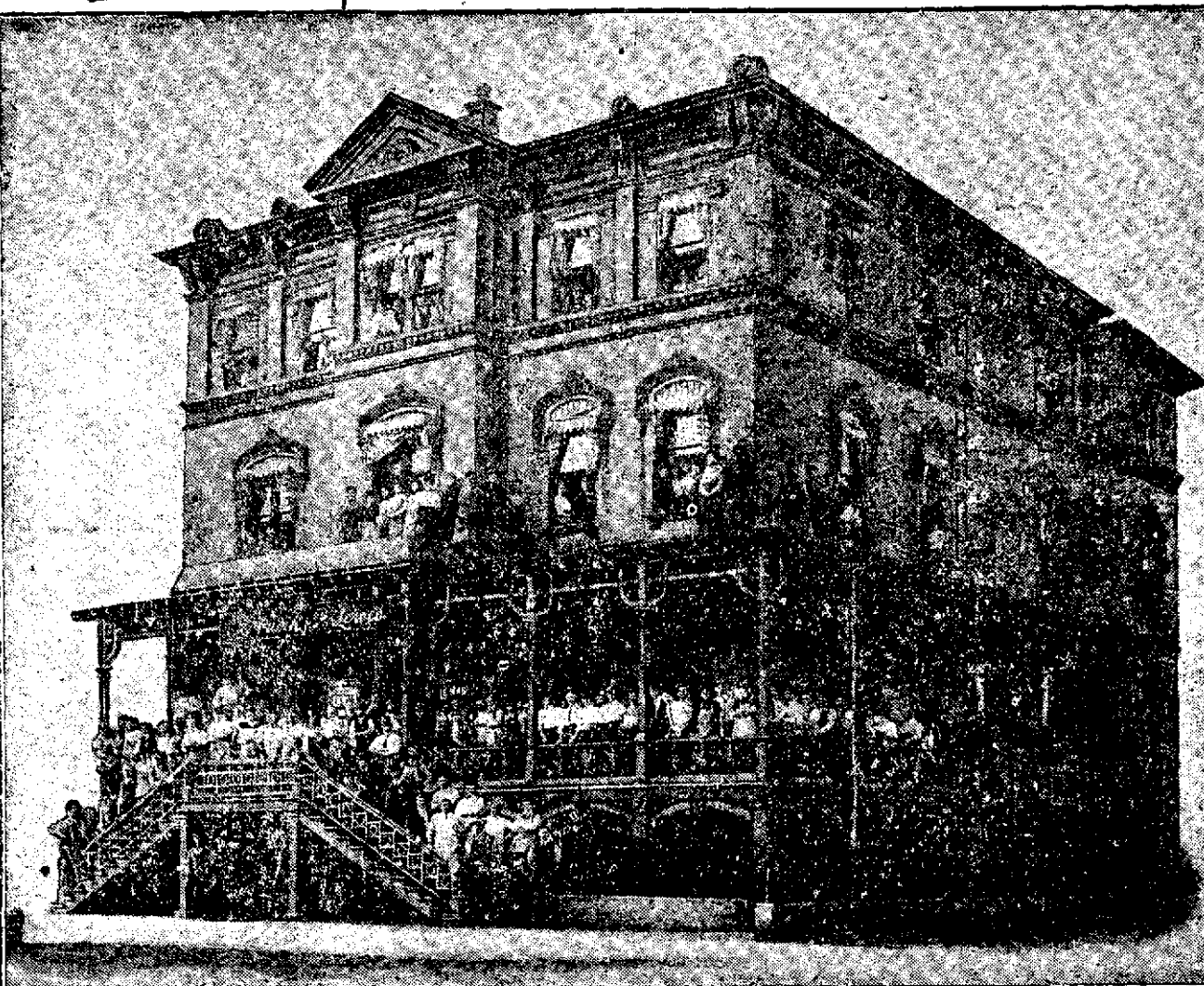
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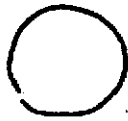
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GIST OF LAW OF HOW TO VOTE

On entering the room where the election is being held the voter will announce his name to the poll clerks who will register him on the poll books, the clerk holding the ballots will then deliver to the voter three different ballots to be voted, namely: The ballot containing the state ticket, the ballot containing the county and precinct ticket and the ballot for the adoption or rejection of statewide prohibition. The voter will then enter the booth

which may be unoccupied and cast his ballot by stamping in the circle beneath the rooster if he desires to vote the democratic ticket and in the circle beneath the eagle if he desires to vote the republican ticket and in the circle beneath (whatever device any device any other party that may be on the ticket may select if he desires to vote that ticket.) To vote a mixed ticket make a stamp in the square to the left of the name of each candidate you desire to vote for. If you desire to vote for the constitution place a stamp in front of the word "Yes". If you desire to

vote against the constitution place the stamp in front of the word "No". If you desire to vote for statewide prohibition place the stamp in the square in front of the word "Yes". If you desire to vote against statewide prohibition place the stamp in front of the word "No".

The voter will then leave the booth, fold his ballots separately so that no part of the printed ballot will be exposed, and return the stamp to the poll clerk from whom he received it and deliver the ballots to the inspector, or judge temporarily acting as inspector.

LAST CALL TO REGISTER.

When you pick up this paper tonight, if you have not yet registered for the election, drop the paper instantly, pick up your hat, and make a run for the recorder's office. The registration books will close promptly at nine o'clock tonight. At two p. m. a total of 682 voters had registered. There ought to be 100 more. Don't lose the opportunity to cast a patriot's ballot in this great election.

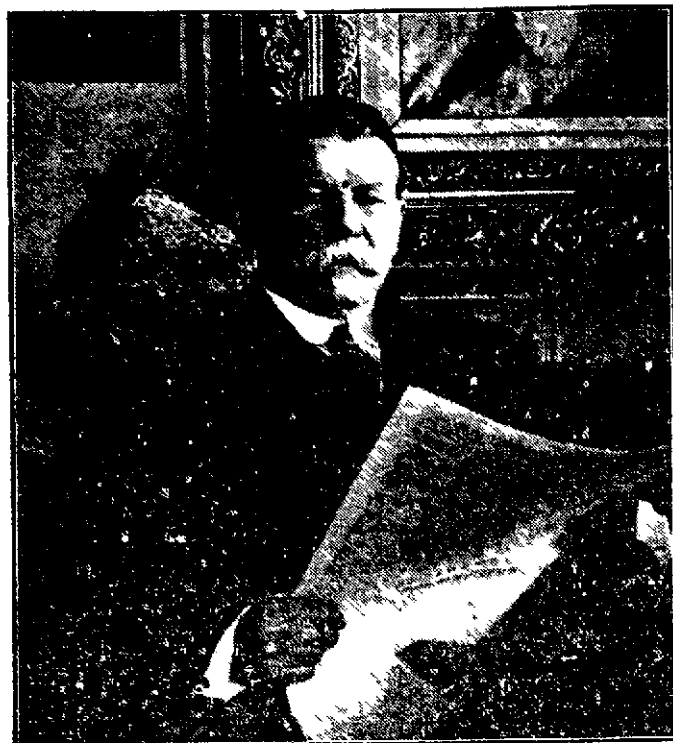
Marriage Licenses.

C. A. Boyd, 20, and Phoebe Laura Oliver, 18, Seville.
J. A. Thompson, 20, and Bertha Truitt, 18, Jesse.
J. C. Mercer, 60 Tate, Arkansas, and Mrs. Edith Coffee, 48, Francis.
Frank Norman, 21, and Mable Farley, 18, Stonewall.
A. W. Nye, 21, and Etta Hunn, 17, Conway.

Prominent Mason in Town.

W. H. Talmage of McAlester, orator of the grand lodge A. F. and A. M., and prominent worker in Scottish Rite, is a visitor in this city today. He says the Masons will hold a big meeting in their splendid new temple at Southtown October 15-16-17. At that time a number of Ada Masons will attend and take the 32nd degree.

Mrs. U. G. Winn is much better today. She is clear of fever.



Former ambassador to France who will go to the Hague peace tribunal as one of America's representatives. Gen. Porter is a noted diplomat, military officer and public speaker.

IS LAST OF AN ODD BAND.

REMNANT OF MICHIGAN ALTRUIS TIC COOPERATIVE COLONY

Porter Willford Only Survivor of Enterprise Started at Galesburg in 1938—Thousands of Acres Once Cultivated

Galesburg, Mich.—The last survivor of the Altruis tic cooperative colony, which was started in this quarter of the state in 1938, is Porter Willford, 65 years old, who came to this village in 1938 and has since then lived in the community.

When the Altruis tic colony was organized on the 15th of the month of June, 1938, it was established near Galesburg by about 100 farmers in 1938. Willford was one of the young leaders. He was married to a daughter of one of the older officers of the colony when Altruis tic hall, the principal building of the organization was opened.

All essential trades then known in the frontier community were represented among the members most of whom were New Yorkers. All property was turned into the common account and farms were used as cut side residences by the men formerly owning them if they wished.

Many thousands of acres were thus used by the community, which took at first a high intellectual standard but later broke up because of the discontent of some who saw other farmers getting rich on the old corporate plan.

After a few years the men began to withdraw from the colony to work for themselves and finally the buildings where the scientific dreams of the founders had been well out were sold to the county for use on its poor farm near by.

A thrifty member got possession of 1,000 acres of the best land which has made his descendants rich. Willford alone remains of the many who took part in the colony life of the Altruis tic delphians.

Legend hangs about the spot where the old hall stood. It is that at the time of the disbandment one of the members who had been begging his comrades to stand together for the common good accidentally discovered an old letter filled with coin of French gold.

DEVIL'S TOWER MADE RESERVE

Rock Rises 800 Feet Above Surrounding Country

Deadwood, S. D.—President Roosevelt has issued an order setting aside the Devil's tower, a peculiar geological formation in the northwestern Wyoming as a national monument and a federal reserve. Near 1,000 acres of land also are set aside with the tower. This reserve will be under the care of the general land office of that district no entries will be allowed on it and every effort will be made to protect the tower from injury.

This Devil's tower is a chimney like mountain of rock that rises 800 feet above the surrounding country and for almost 600 feet is nearly perpendicular and devoid of any growth of vegetation. The top of the tower is large enough in area for a baseball team to play a good game and is covered with a scant soil formed from the disintegrated rock and bearing moss cacti and ferns.

Two men are known to have climbed this tower at the risk of their lives. One of them was Jack Rogers an old cowboy, and the other was Arthur Jobe, a young engineer for the Home state Mining company.

The tower stands on the bank of the upper Belle Fourche river, and has been for years one of the landmarks

HOBOS AT A BANQUET

KNIGHTS OF THE ROAD "FEED" AT SWELL CHICAGO HOTEL.

Over One Hundred Attend Representative Gathering—Washington Flat Fails to Appear as Toastmaster, Owing to Police.

Chicago—The hobos banquet given by the Brotherhood Welfare association at the Windsor Clifford hotel the other night was a huge success despite several little drawbacks such as the nonattendance of Washington Flat the toastmaster who was driven out of town early in the afternoon by the police and the departure of Philadelphia Jack and The Dancing Kid for San Francisco before the beer was served. They explained that they had to catch the 11:15 Q. freight.

Dr. Ben L. Reitman and his aids in the new organization had searched the highways and byways of the city for a representative gathering of hobos and bums and beggars and they found them. There were more than a hundred present—some from the Midwest others from the municipal lodging house, Hogan's Flap the New York house and the bureau houses of West Madison street.

Several incidents marked the occasion but no one minded. First the bum who was down for a speech on Why I Hang Around Hotel Houses picked up two many drinks before he came to the banquet and was found under the table when his name was called. Shoe-string, Chase, a janitor, scandalized his fellows when he was found enjoying the golden occasion by passing his hat among the hotel guests during a full in the banquet.

A No One known as the Absent Member (and never blushed the tooz boys) whose name is written on every water tank between New York and Boston and Volcan Whitey, mother professional hobo threatened to quit at one stage of the speech making, because the speakers were not representative.

Why they don't know the diff between a hobo and a bum, said A No One. I wouldn't associate with a snake that crawls the banner. Why don't they let a snail man talk?

After a dinner as good as a group of hobo or merchants could want the long program began. Hum Mitt, a hobo in disguise the course with him, chews of tobacco and Fred the bum insisted on singing. Where Is My Wandering Boy To Night?

The regular program began with a poem by Chicago Tommy entitled The Face on the Barroom Floor. It was a long poem recited with deep gravity and was the story of a hobo, Ostler Joe, who told a crowd of saloon loafers how he had fallen illustrating his story by drawing the face of his lost angel wife in chalk on the floor and then falling dead. It had a mighty effect.

Tied the bum was called on but could not respond so his chum the Rocky Mountain Lemon got up to respond. He started off nobly saying: They do not love who do not show their love, but A No One yelled: Sit down. You're no hobo. You work. You ain't respectable. So the Lemon sat down.

John Smith a hard faced young man with a collar on, told why the criminal has a hard face. He said he had spent 14 years in penitentiaries beginning his first term at the age of 14. He said it was worry that made the lines.

Old Man Steers 78 years of age, told a pitiful story of seeking work in Chicago and how he was turned down everywhere. My father told me never to be afraid of work, he said and I attribute my failure to the fact that I followed Horace Greeley's advice and came west.

With the ex-society man told how to reform society. He wore a gentle brown beard a collar and held his cigar according to the best custom. The Louisville Kid recited a poem called The Seal.

German Fritz and Ohio Skip down on the program left word they had gone to New York on the bumpers before the Dancing Kid left for Frisco he sang a song about There's always a Mother Waiting at Home for You.

CLERK WINS A FORTUNE

Speculates in Wheat and Is Now One of Wichita's Richest Men

Wichita, Kan.—From telegraph operator working on a salary of less than \$100 a month to affluence and a fortune within five years is the record of Arthur Pauline who in one day cleared \$150,000 by speculating in wheat.

Pauline has been a resident of Wichita about 20 years. During most of that time he has been employed as an operator. At spare times he did work on the wire for commission men gaining an insight of the methods of the market which he turned to advantage when the opportunities presented themselves. As a result he is today classed among the wealthiest citizens of Wichita.

Wheat was low when Pauline began to buy around the 70 cent mark. He held on to the wheat he bought until the market was over one dollar then he sold. Something like \$25,000 was the result of his investment. He invested the proceeds in Wichita property. That too proved a good investment and he was enabled two years later to clear \$100,000 by the same method. In the recent rise of wheat he bought for 76 cents and sold at 97 1/2 cents, clearing \$150,000.

HINTS FOR THE HOUSEWIFE.

Alcohol will remove candle grease. All vegetables should be put into boiling water.

A brush dipped in salt water should be used in cleaning bamboo furniture. All corks should be washed thoroughly dried and kept for any future use.

Varnished woodwork can be easily cleaned and brightened with crude oil. If you wish to peel onions and keep cheerful take off the skins under water.

A little raw linseed oil rubbed upon a towel will stop rust cover the pieces with a little blacking and polish.

When running bias rods through window curtains put an old glove finger over the end that is being pushed through the hem. Unless this is done the material is apt to tear.

Gas burners like other things are apt to get dirty. Very often there is quite a little collection of rubbish on the burner and if this is cleared away the improvement in the light is very noticeable.

Salt moistened with vinegar will remove burnt marks from enameled receptacles and dishes but don't forget that they should be soaked in cold water for a few hours first to loosen the stains.

CARE OF PICTURE FRAMES.

May Be Cleansed and Freshened with Little Trouble

The gilt frames of pictures or mirrors if they are not so far gone as to require gilding may be cleansed by a simple washing with spirits of wine or oil of turpentine.

Take a small sponge and having wet it in either of these liquids wring it out thoroughly and then apply. The dirt should not be wiped afterwards in order to dry it. Leave it to dry of itself.

Chairs come in very nicely when the frames are somewhat bare and worn and want more than a simple washing. But before applying it is essential to have the surfaces perfectly clean.

With a small soft brush or duster remove all dust then gently wash with turpentine water and a mild detergent. The frame has been thus thoroughly cleansed then apply your gold paint.

To not wet the frame overmuch when washing it for this would remove all the old gilding. A tightly wrung sponge is the best thing to use.

Creamed Tongue (Calves)

This is a new dish hailing from Philadelphia and while tasting much like sweetbreads is even more delicate. The tongue used is calves and it may be prepared the day before serving. Boil in salted water until tender then cool in the water in which it was cooked. Peel and trim off all the rough pieces about the roof, then slice in small pieces. When ready to serve in the chafin dish put into the butter two tablespoonsful of butter, and three level tablespoonsful of flour. When bubbly and blended add a cup and a half of milk or cream half a tea spoonful of salt a dash of cayenne a grating of nutmeg and a tablespoonful of minced parsley. Stir until smooth and creamy add two cupsful of the sliced tongue stir until heated thoroughly then take up on a hot dish and set over the hot water pan while you prepare the potatoes.

Cleaning Plumes

Shave and boil one half bar of naphtha soap in a granite basin. When thoroughly dissolved add this to a wash bowl of warm soft water. Put the plumes in and let remain for about 15 minutes, moving it around in the bowl. After the dirt is loosened up take water of the same temperature to rinse it in. Now lay it on a table or oilcloth and with a soft brush such as an old toothbrush brush it gently in outward strokes using soap on the brush if necessary. Put it under the faucet and let the water run on it until it is thoroughly clear of the soap. Squeeze the water out but do not twist the feather. Hold it firmly in the palm of the hand. Pin to a curtain to dry with the head up and the fibers falling down toward the end.

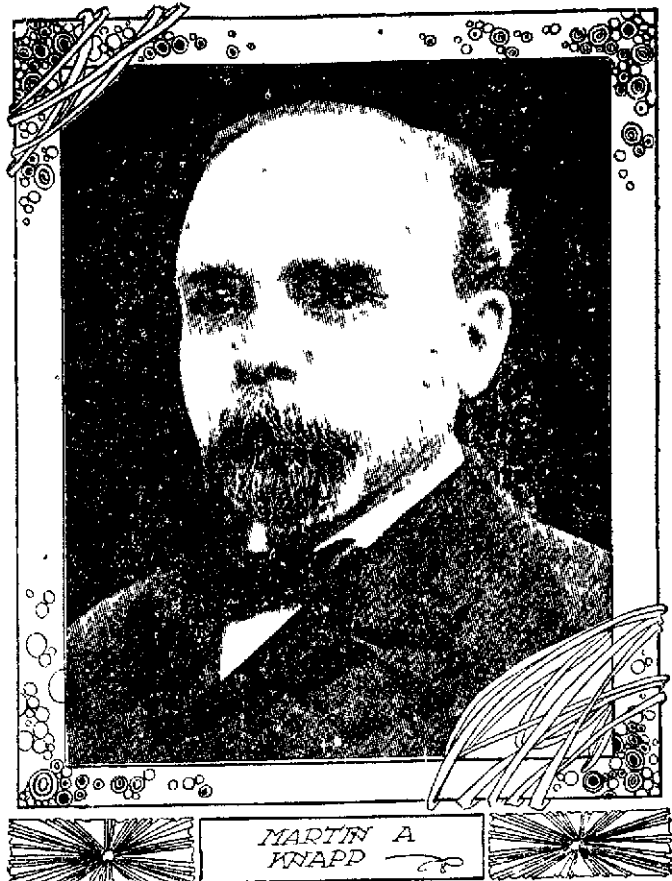
Taking Ink Stains From Linen

Turpentine and soap will remove ink stains from linen. A few drops added to water in which clothes are boiled will whiten them. Turpentine will exterminate roaches and also moths if sprinkled about. Turpentine will remove wheel grease pith and tar stains. A few drops on a woolen cloth will clean tan shoes nicely. Ivory knife handles that become yellow can be restored to their former whiteness by rubbing with turpentine. Carpets can be cleaned and colors restored by going over occasionally with a broom dipped in warm water in which a little turpentine is added. An equal mixture of turpentine and linseed oil will remove white spots from fur tunic caused by water.

Preserved Pineapple

Select ripe fruit, pare and with a small pointed silver knife carefully remove the eyes. Now cut the apple in small square pieces rejecting the core or shred it with a fork. Weigh and allow three quarters of a pound of sugar to each pound of fruit. Put all together in a preserving kettle, stir well and stand in a cool place overnight. In the morning bring slowly to a boil skim and cook gently for half or three quarters of an hour. Pour into jars and seal. A tablespoonful of brandy poured in the mouth of the jar just before sealing adds to the richness of the fruit and prevents its softening.

Holds Important Post.



Mr. Krapp is chairman of the Interstate Commerce Commission and upon him devolves in a great measure the task of solving the relations of the country's railroads to the government.

MONSTER SHIPS BUILT.

NATIONS ORDERING HUGE VESSELS FOR WAR PURPOSES

Thirty Five Monsters of Destruction to Be Added to Battle Craft Afloat by Fall—United States Ships Large

London—The epidemic of monster battleships is spreading. By the close of the present summer no fewer than 25 of these enormous craft will have been completed begun or ordered by the British flag. The other 25 belong to foreign powers and this is the first time in the history of the British navy that it has been so grievously outnumbered in the most powerful type of ship.

The monster battleships building completed or to be laid down before the close of the summer of 1907 are as follows:

England—Four Dreadnoughts three Invincibles total seven.
Germany—Four Dreadnoughts two Invincibles total six.
France—Six Dantons total six.
Japan—Four monster battleships two monster cruisers total six.
South American republics—Six Dreadnoughts total six.
United States—Two Michigans two Pacificators total four.

All these ships have been ordered since January 1905. In the five years January 1900 to January 1905 the same group of powers laid down or ordered 47 first class battleships of which 16 were British. Thus in the Dreadnought era the British proportion has enormously declined. In 1905 7 it is only 20 per cent of the battle ships of the great naval powers, in 1904 it was 44 per cent.

Another point is very striking. In 1904 the British battleships were, on the whole more powerful and larger than those of rival nations the sole exception being the United States. But in 1905 7 many of the foreign battleships and armored cruisers are larger and more powerful than the British ships so that the numerical disadvantage is now accompanied by a disadvantage in quality of ships. Three German four Japanese and two United States ships will be larger than any vessel that the United Kingdom possesses.

It is true that to the above total of British monster ships should be added to battleships which will be begun about January 1908 and possibly a third which may be commenced in March 1908. But even so the British total will be only ten and will

still be below the proportion of a few years ago.

Not only this but for the first time in the history of the British navy the two power standard in large armored ships will have been abandoned. The two power standard as defined by Mr. Laiford in the house of commons this year is equality in numbers to the fleets of any two powers plus a margin of ten per cent. As there are three different groups of two powers each of which is building 12 monster ships this in itself for England 14 monster ships in reply. But when even the ship to be begun so late as March of next year is counted England has only ten and of the ten some may be whittled away by parliament.

CHIHUAHUA DOGS DYING OUT.

Breed of Small, Hairless Canines Becoming Hopelessly Mixed

Washington—Consul General A. L. M. Gottschalk of the City of Mexico, in responding to numerous inquiries from persons in the United States interested in the purchasing of Chihuahua dogs says:

The Chihuahua dog which as late as 25 years ago was quite commonly to be found in Mexico is a curious little creature popularly supposed to be a cross breed between the prairie dog and the jack rabbit. The animal resembles a small dog whose weight is sometimes not over one and one half pounds, with a disproportionately large head bulging eyes and long ears. The hair is usually scanty, showing the pink skin underneath. One of the marks is said to be an unclosed cranial fissure through which the brain can be felt throbbing underneath the skin. These little animals are particularly destructive and are constantly scratching at things with their long claws. They are quite susceptible to training if taken young and in numerous instances the breed has been domesticated although they seldom show the usual dog traits of suspicious and intelligent attachment.

Unfortunately within the last 25 years the breed has become so large ly mixed with small dogs of various mongrel types that it is now a most difficult thing to find in Mexico an example of the true breed. Such are sold occasionally at prices ranging from 200 Mexican pesos (\$39.60 United States currency) upward. Even in Chihuahua these dogs are very rare. A few recent specimens sold in this city are said to have been of the true breed.

FAMOUS INDIAN CHIEF GOES INSANE.

Geronimo Is Guarded Constantly by Apache Scouts.

Lawton, Okla.—Chief Geronimo the great Apache warrior who is said to have scalped more white people than any other living Indian, and who for 20 years has been a prisoner of war on the Fort Sill military reservation near here is reported by an Apache Indian to have completely lost his mind and has to be guarded almost night and day by Apache scouts in the government service.

He wandered away from home the other day and was not seen until nightfall being discovered about dark wandering carelessly near Fort Sill watching the highways and murmuring to himself. A carriage approached and he galloped toward it with a ferocious grin that frightened the occupants. He was taken to

charge by two scouts who came up and prevented him following the party.

Geronimo is believed to have grown demented because of the refusal of the war department and the president to grant him liberty or permission to return to Arizona, the scene of his many devastations of villages and slaughtering of whites.

Since his last appeal to the president he has been morose and a few weeks ago his wife the eighth of his career left him to return no more.

Prize for Proposal in Park.

Cleveland, O.—Chief Goldsoll of the park police wants notice of the first proposal of marriage in the city parks this spring. He has something nice for a present for the first bride of the summer whose wedding is the out come of a proposal in the parks.

When is Woman in Her Prime?

The Growing List of Women Who Marry Men Many Years Younger Than Themselves Seems to Show that Charms Are No Longer Certain to Wane Beyond Forty-Five and Even Fifty.

New York—Is there ever a time in a woman's life when the possibility of romance is dead? Is her heart oversteered to Cupid's shaft? What is a woman's prime of life, anyway? These are serious questions. They have been asked since the beginning of time; doubtless they will be asked to its end. But never has an answer been more frequently demanded than right now in this twentieth century. Practical as it is, these times are far from being short of romance.

In youth, in age, woman's power of loving seems always just the same. One day we have madly May marry a hoary-headed December. Next we have mustached May the blushing bridegroom of motherly December. It is all the same—the only safe answer to the question is that there doesn't seem to be any woman in the world who can finally put aside romance for the more practical things of life.

And who could have given more prominence to this very thing than Miss Ellen Terry, premier Shakespearean actress of two continents? She has recently taken to herself a third husband—James Carew. They were married on March 22 last in Pittsburgh by Justice of the Peace Campbell.

Terry's Youthful Husband.

The Pennsylvania law requires certain questions. Young Mr. Carew said he was born in Indiana and was an actor by profession. He owned up to 32 years, but he looked younger. Miss Terry told that she had been married twice before—divorced once and widowed the second time. She gave her birthday as February 27, 1848.

Romance has always played a part in the life of Mrs. Charles T. Yerkes-Mizner. When as the beautiful Mary Adelaide Moore of Philadelphia she met Charles T. Yerkes he was not the multi-millionaire that he was when he died. He had been out of the penitentiary but a little while; still the golden-haired girl loved him and he loved her. They were married. Wealth came faster and faster.

Mr. Yerkes became one of the foremost traction men of this country and Europe. He had a beautiful Chicago home, but Mrs. Yerkes wanted another in New York. So the multi-millionaire built another one—a great brownstone pile in upper Fifth avenue.

He died on December 29, 1905. Within a month along came a handsome six-foot Californian, Wilson Mizner by name. He had a way with the women that was wonderful, and in the Golden West he had left a reputation as a lady's man which would be hard to duplicate.

He had known Mrs. Yerkes for about a year. He called to express his grief at her sorrow. Here again pity was akin to love. His sympathy was so apparently genuine, his solicitude so tender that the widow was touched very deeply.

Admits Mistake in Marriage.

Young Mr. Mizner himself felt the tail of Cupid. From commiseration he turned to courtship; he won an easy victory after a whirlwind attack on the citadel of the widow's heart. Within a month after Mr. Yerkes' death they were quietly married.

But here the romance died a-borning. Mr. Mizner soon shook the dust of Fifth avenue from his feet, and Mrs. Yerkes-Mizner declared that it had all been a mistake.

But now the case of Mizner vs. Mizner is even before the court.

Death alone robbed Mrs. Frank Leslie of a fourth marriage. When the Marquis de Camille, a Spanish noble, died in Paris recently, Mrs. Leslie—that is the name by which she chooses to be known—told to her friends that she had promised to be his bride. Her tresser had already been made in Paris, the wedding set for early this month.

But the marquis suddenly passed away. And now Mrs. Leslie has sailed for Europe to join the marquis' family.

Many Times Married.

Mrs. Leslie was the beautiful Miriam Florence Folline of New Orleans. Her first husband was E. G. Squier, afterward United States commissioner to Peru, from whom she separated. She then married Frank Leslie, the rich publisher. After his death she became a bride for the third time, marrying "Willie" Wilde, brother of

the late Oscar Wilde. She divorced this husband because he was too much of a spendthrift, among other things.

Romance has always played a foremost role in the life of Patti, the diva. New York has known her these 50 years and more, but Europe has been the place where she has ever fallen prey to Cupid's darts.

The great diva was born in 1843, the morning after her mother, Mme. Barilli had sung Norma with great éclat. In 1861, Patti, at the tender age of eight, was also singing, but her real debut was in this city in 1859. Her singing made a furor; her success was instantaneous.

Seven years later she met the Marquis de Caux, of an honored French family. They were both in love and a marriage was arranged by no less a personage than the Empress Eugénie.

Won Heart of Diva.

Then in 1871 she met the tenor, Ernesto Nicolini. For Patti he changed the whole current of the diva's life. Signor Nicolini was a singer of no very remarkable ability. The great songstress loathed the man, who persisted in following her all over Europe, though there was a Signora Nicolini and several little Nicolinis.

But Nicolini was persistence itself. He was a friend of the Marquis de Caux, who found out one day how matters stood. He forbade the singer the house. This made the diva furious. He also refused to allow his wife to sing. This was the last straw. They separated; a divorce was finally obtained in 1884. The Nicolinis were made twins, too.

Then Patti and Nicolini were married. It was then Nicolini grew in the estimation of the world. He loved his new wife devotedly. He was the lover-like husband always.

And Patti loved him, too. When Nicolini fell ill of cancer of the tongue no one could nurse him but she. When he died she was inconsolable.

Then came the Baron Cederstrom, a young Swedish nobleman, 35 years old. They met at Pau, ten years ago. He fell heels over head in love with the woman with the wonderful voice.

of England's foremost politicians, made a trip to America and fell in love with the clever New York girl. Their marriage in Grace church was a notable event.

The pair returned to England. Lady Randolph's tact and cleverness had much to do with her husband's success in statecraft, as all England knew. Lord Randolph Churchill died in 1895, leaving his wife \$250,000.

Four years later at Cowes Lady Randolph met young Lieutenant West, son of a family that had much pride but little money. It was love at first sight between the comely widow of 52 and the young officer of 25, younger than her youngest son.

The marriage of beautiful "Kitty" Dindley to Leslie Carter, millionaire, in 1880 proved unhappy. They were divorced in 1889, and the young ex-wife with the glorious Titian hair went on the stage, where she achieved not only fame but fortune.

Broadway is still talking about her marriage last summer while in Boston on an auto trip with a party of friends. It was all very sudden. Young Mr. Payne, only a trifle older than Mrs. Carter's son, Dudley, proposed one day; they were married almost the next.

Mrs. Burnett in the List.

Take Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett, for example, author of "Little Lord Fauntleroy" and other successful works for old and young. Mrs. Burnett was Miss Hodgson in 1873 when she married Dr. S. M. Burnett at the age of 23. A quarter of a century later they were divorced; two years afterward Mrs. Burnett, then a woman of 50, fell in love with Stephen Townsend, Englishman, physician, author and actor. They were married in 1900.

Then another literary romance had its culmination when that talented writer, Elizabeth Stuart Phelps, married Herbert Ward. She was the gifted authoress, her genius matured at 27, eager to enter the ministry. Professor Phelps of the seminary, liked the enthusiastic youth, and he



What came he—or she for that matter—about a little difference in age?

They were married, Craigie-Noe was sold and the happy pair retired to a new castle in Norway, where they dwell yet, happy as larks.

Burdett-Coutts Romance.

Never was there a happier marriage than that of the late Baroness Burdett-Coutts and William Lehman Ashmead Bartlett, 37 years her junior, now styled Ashmead Burdett-Coutts. He was a Brooklyn boy of modest lineage and more modest fortune.

The baroness possessed a fortune of many millions of pounds sterling and was a partner in Coutts' bank, one of London's oldest financial institutions. She immediately settled an annuity of the interest on \$1,250,000 upon the young Brooklynite. He in turn changed his name to Burdett-Coutts.

It was the happiest of marriages. The young husband was all devotion to his wife, who in turn was tremendously interested in his career. She made him almoner of all her vast schemes of charity; she advanced him in politics until he got a seat in parliament.

When she died, at 92, last December, her husband was grief-stricken.

Another international love match with London for its focus was that of Lady Randolph Churchill and young Lieut. Cornwallis West. But in this case the bride was the American, the bridegroom the British subject.

Churchill Won Prize.

Miss Jennie Jerome was one of the belles of New York 40 years ago. She was the daughter of Leonard Jerome, Wall street man, raconteur and bon vivant. Lord Randolph Churchill, one

invited him to his house. There Mr. Ward met the authoress. He was fascinated by her brilliancy.

Gradually the young student's aspirations turned from the ministry to literature. Miss Phelps was his inspiration. What followed was love. Their friends were amazed. They were married in October, 1888.

To-day Mrs. Ward is 62 years old and Mr. Ward is 45.

And in the news of only a day or two ago comes the announcement of two more such marriages. In Worcester, Mass., Mrs. Antoine Kleibasa, widowed three times, possessed of \$1,000,000 and 46 years old, married Martin Moneta, ten years her junior and a poor photographer. Here in New York Mrs. Ada Jaffray McVickar announces her engagement to Herman P. Trappe. Mrs. McVickar has five sons, two of them married. Mr. Trappe is 30.

Who now shall dare to say what a woman's prime really is, or when she can forget romance and Cupid's call?

Evarts a Lover of Dogs.

Maxwell Evarts, son of former Senator William M. Evarts, is a big lawyer who lives in Vermont, practices law in New York and raises old English sheep dogs for fun. He has the best dogs of that breed in this country.

Has Risen to High Position.

Among the textile kings of New England is Walter H. Langshaw, of New Bedford, Mass. He rose rapidly from the humble position of barefooted bobbin boy to a man who now controls the most successful cotton mill in the world.

RELICS OF CRUSOE

HIS OLD GUN WAS RECENTLY SOLD AT AUCTION.

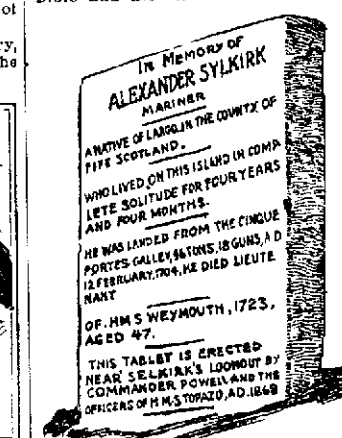
On Juan Fernandez Many Evidences of Selkirk's Residence Still Exist—A Tablet to His Memory.

Every one who has read Robinson Crusoe will be interested to learn that the trusty old musket the shipwrecked sailor used during the four years he lived on the deserted island off the Chilean coast is now in possession of Miss Huldah B. White of No. 201 North Thirty-fourth street, Philadelphia.

Miss White, while recently traveling in England, learned that the famous gun, which had been an heirloom in the Selkirk family for two centuries, was to be sold at auction in Edinburgh. Being a collector of curios, she sent an agent to the sale, and after some spirited bidding he secured the prize for \$162.75.

The relic is in an excellent state of preservation. The flintlock still works on its hinges and answers to the touch of the trigger. The old weapon is almost six feet long.

About 351 miles to the westward of the Chilean coast is a group of three small islands known as the archipelago of Juan Fernandez, and named, respectively, Mas a Tierra, Mas Afuera and Santa Clara. Mas a Tierra, better known as Juan Fernandez, is the one upon which Selkirk lived for years as a castaway. He was not wrecked, as Dr. Foe causes Crusoe to be, but was sent ashore by Capt. Stradling, with a few personal effects, which included his seaman's chest, the famous fire lock, one pound of powder, some bullets, tobacco, a hatchet, a knife, a Bible and his mathematical instru-



Tablet to Crusoe.

ments and books. It is said that Selkirk was put ashore at his own request, but he probably had no choice in the matter, it was either banishment or death on the galleys.

For four years and four months Selkirk lived his lonely life on the uninhabited island. He made clothes from goat skins when his own were worn so ragged. He killed goats, of which there was an abundance on the island, with his musket, and when finally his powder gave out he killed them by hand. He became so fleet of foot in time that no animal could outrun him.

Two years ago Prof. G. T. Hastings and A. Haebele, both from Cornell university, accompanied an expedition sent out by the Chilean government to study the interesting flora of the island. They took photographs of the familiar spots made famous by De Foe. They found everything just as Selkirk had described it in his diary. There was the cave up in the hillside in which he had dwelt during his long exile, the stockade he had erected for defense against a possible foe was there, too, so also was "Lookout Mountain," situated on the highest peak of the island. From this point Selkirk used to scan the ocean for the gleam of friendly sail. But he was far from the beaten track, and it was years before he was rescued. An iron tablet has been erected in memory of Selkirk near the lookout. The tablet reads:

In memory of Alexander Selkirk, mariner, a native of Larino, in the county of Fife, Scotland, who lived on this island in complete solitude for four years and four months. He was landed from the Cinque Portes galle, setons island, A. D. 15 February, 1704. He died a lieutenant of H. M. S. Weymouth, 1723, aged 47. This tablet is erected near Selkirk's lookout by Commander Powell and the officers of H. M. S. Topaz, A. D. 1868.

Selkirk was rescued in 1709. The signal fire he burned nightly had been seen by Commander Wood Rogers of the privateer Duke, and the following day the exile was taken on board and once more brought in contact with human beings.

Belonged to Him.

"She was my woman. I had a right to kill her." Morose and sullen, Max Kredich declared this in the Butler (Pa.) county jail the other day while he was awaiting trial for the murder of his wife. "I go free," protested the wife slayer, when the prospect of his trial was suggested. "It's none of their business." When he struck down his wife in their home at Lyndora last December, half a dozen boarders in his house strove to restrain him from abusing the little woman for an hour before he broke her neck with a blow of his bulky fist. Then he went at them with a butcher knife, shouting, "It is nobody's business if I kill her."

HIS HEAD IN A CAN.

And Still This Foxhound Found His Way Home.

Even a foxhound, whose business end lies in his nose, must have remarkable powers of smell to find his way five miles through the woods when his head is stuck in a tin can. At least that is the way Bert Whitman of Sherbourne, Vt., looks at it, and he is very proud of his dog Spark.

Spark went hunting recently with his master, and when it became dusk he was still running a crafty old rye-nard high up on the side of Pico mountain. There was no catching the hound and calling him off, so Whitman left him to return home when he got ready. Frequently he had packed his gun down the mountain while the hound was still following on a hot scent, and he had no fear as to his showing up along in the night.

At ten o'clock when there were no signs of Spark, Whitman left the kitchen door ajar, placed a big pan of mush and soup bones on the floor and went to bed. Three hours later he was awakened by a clatter in the kitchen, and a moment later the hound, with his head stuck in a two-gallon milk can, waddled erratically into the bedroom. To say that the animal's master was surprised is putting it mildly. At first he wasn't sure that it was his dog, but when he spoke Spark thumped his tail and tried to crawl into the bed.

It was necessary to use a can opener to free the dog, and the job required something like 15 minutes. All this time Spark stood perfectly still, but the moment he was released he made for his supper and ate it as though famished. The animal probably found the can near some old camp, for it was covered with rust. Doglike, he investigated the interior with the hope of finding food, and couldn't remove his head. He must have found his way home by scent, as it was impossible for him to see through the can's bottom.—Chicago Examiner.

CHICKENS LAY EGGS 35 YEARS.

Veteran Hens Were Then Sold for Twelve Dollars.

At a public sale of the property of William Stengle, at Bally, a village near Pennsylvania, Pa., a pair of chickens which Mr. Stengle says he had owned for 35 years, and which had been laying all the time, were sold for \$12.

Mr. Stengle's farm is located far away from any negro camp-meeting grounds. For years it had been the custom when any ministerial conferences were held in this section of the state for him to double-lock and bar his chicken coop.

The visit of the local preacher to the Stengle farm always resulted in a hurry call for the secretion of his favorite hens. Young chickens were hastily slaughtered and conspicuously displayed.

The purchaser of the hens is said to be contemplating opening a railway restaurant.—Detroit News-Tribune.

Flying Fish Struck Sailor.

When the liner Korea was bowling along on a smooth sea in the tropics between Yokohama and Honolulu a flying fish struck second Officer R. Allman as he stood on the bridge and caused him some little injury.

The fish was one of a large school and had flown to an unusual height at the time. Allman was at the moment taking an observation when he felt a blow on his right side. A hasty glance downward disclosed the flying fish, which lay on the bridge stunned from the impact with the officer's body.

Allman was not seriously hurt and he saved the flying fish, which is retained as a memento of his strange experience. The bridge of the Korea, where Allman stood, is about 50 feet above the surface of the sea.

A CONFESSION OF FAITH.



What it looks like a cross section of an ocean liner or battleship is nothing more than the Mahometan confession of faith. "There is no God but God, and Mahomet is the prophet of God." The letters used are the ancient Cufic form of Arabic letters. The man who built this pious sentence into a rude resemblance to a ship of war was a prisoner in jail.

Parrots Give Fire Alarm.

Five hundred parrots on the second floor of a Broadway, N. Y., bird store gave the first alarm of fire, which was raging on the first floor one evening recently, and brought firemen in time to save their lives and to check the blaze before much damage resulted. Their cries of alarm sounded so nearly like human beings in distress that it was at first supposed persons were being burned or smothered in the building. "Fire! fire! Oh, Lordy!" were samples of the screams heard on the street. They aroused the janitor, who got a waiter in a nearby place to turn in an alarm.

Made of Hair.

The hair of rabbits and other animals in Russia is converted into bowls, dishes and plates, which are valued for their strength, durability and lightness. The articles are similar in appearance to varnished

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There is no other pigment that is "practically" White Lead—no other paint that has the properties of Pure White Lead Paint.

Pure White Lead, good paint that it is, cannot carry adulterants without having its efficiency impaired. To get Pure White Lead durability, see to it that every keg bears the Dutch Boy trade mark—a guarantee that the contents are absolutely Pure White Lead made by the Old Dutch Process.

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"A Talk on Paint" gives valuable information on the paint subject. Sent free upon request.

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In whichever of the following cities is nearest you:
New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Chicago, St. Louis, Cincinnati, Pittsburg, Portland, Me., and other cities.



Will Live in Paris.

The widow of Collis P. Huntington has informed friends in Washington of her purpose to reside permanently in Paris. With this object in view she is preparing to close her house in New York and go to the French capital, where there will soon be completed a mansion for her costing nearly \$1,000,000. Mrs. Huntington was many years younger than her great husband, who left her the bulk of his millions to do with as she might see fit.

Laundry work at home would be much more satisfactory if the right Starch were used. In order to get the desired stiffness, it is usually necessary to use so much starch that the beauty and fineness of the fabric is hidden behind a paste of varying thickness, which not only destroys the appearance, but also affects the wearing quality of the goods. This trouble can be entirely overcome by using Defiance Starch, as it can be applied much more thickly because of its greater strength than other makes.

Piety.

In a recent number of a German magazine a writer offers a variant of the tale lately published in a book of children's true sayings, which relates how two small girls tried to sit on one stool, and one of them remarked: "If one of us was to get off the stool, there would be more room for me." The Teutonic version tells how a German sat by the bedside of his dying wife and murmured piously: "If it pleases the good God to take one of us, I shall go to Berlin."

The Entire Family.

Grand Pop used it for Rheumatism. Dad for Cuts, Sprains and Bruises. Mamy for Burns, Scalds and Aches. Sis for Catarrh and Chillsblains. I used it for everything, and it never disappoints any of us. It surely yanks any old pain out by the roots. Hunt's Lightning Oil is what I am telling you about.

An Anarchist.

"That air thin chicken with th' dragged feathers," remarked the old farmer, "I call th' anarchist." "Why do you call him that?" queried the summer boarder. "'Cause he spends so much time chasin' th' other chickens 't' git their vittles away from 'em he ain't got no time 't' hustle fer none fer hisself," explained the old granger.

Starch, like everything else, is being constantly improved, the patent Starches put on the market 25 years ago are very different and inferior to those of the present day. In the latest discovery—Defiance Starch—all injurious chemicals are omitted, while the addition of another ingredient, invented by us, gives to the Starch a strength and smoothness never approached by other brands.

Waste.

"Hear about somebody scattering snuff in the house at Harrisburg?" "No; but it was a waste of material."

How's that?

"Why, only one or two of the fellows up there need to take snuff to make the whole 'crowd sneeze.'—Philadelphia Ledger.

Don't Delay.

Save a possible serious spell of fever later on by cleansing your system now of its accumulation of impurities. Simon's Sarsaparilla will do it. It makes fine blood, fine appetite, great strength and grand ambition.

The Real Market.

"She is very wealthy?" "Very." "Money left to her?" "No; she is the author of a book entitled 'Hints to Beautiful Women.' 'I presume all the beautiful women in the country purchased it?'—'No; but all the homely women did.'—Houston Post.

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ANENT ANOTHER RAILROAD.

It is said nothing is being done by the 2,000 Club toward securing the M & K R.R. which has been decided to stay until the statehood is secured.

But would it not be well for the committee or a dependable man to be charged with the duty of keeping in touch with the situation? Without coming to definite negotiations Ada could keep conversation with the progress of the road and could assure its friends that Ada wants it to come by here.

The most practical project for Ada's next road probably is a route to the southwest, through Sulphur and Ardmore. Both of these towns are interested in such a project. In a recent meeting of the Ardmore commercial club it was thoroughly and favorably discussed. It was the opinion of the men at that meeting that the M & K R.R. could be induced to build a branch from Ada down that way. Ardmore is eager for something new doing, as every town should be, and will gladly co-operate with Ada in such an enterprise, and a little procrastination might result in the loss of a big opportunity.

The 25,000 Club of Ada should keep something on tap—that is, something good, something that smacks of town building. Otherwise we might come to a stagnant standstill.

WHO WANTS STATEHOOD?

The republicans have accused the democrats of trying to kill statehood. In these times, however, action speaks louder than words, even the words of a politician.

The enabling act provided that the territorial officials of Oklahoma should call and conduct the state election after a constitution had been formed. When it was apparent that there would not be funds enough in the congressional appropriation to pay the expenses of an election and of the constitutional convention Col Robert Owen went to Washington and got the senate to make an appropriation to cover the deficiency. When it came up in the house Bird McGuire (publican) had a appropriation killed.

Who wanted statehood?

When the constitutional convention was in session and there was a demand for lots of printing and no funds to pay for it the Guthrie Lancers (democrats) printed thousands of dollars worth of public printing for the constitutional convention with Secretary F. (republican) saying all the time he would not pay the bill.

Who wanted statehood then?

When the time came for printing the lots for the state election, Secretary Filson called for bids and to the prospective bidder he wrote that there was no money to pay for the lots when it was done that the territorial officers would not appropriate a dollar for it and the printer who got the job would have taken chances of getting his money from other sources. But he could not block statehood that way.

Because Col J. J. McAlester, a horse of democracy in this state twenty-five years, came forward and put up the necessary money to print the ballots, \$12,450, saying that he would pay and take his chances if the state or congress being more honest in the discharge of its obligations than the present republican officers.

If actions speak, who wants statehood, the democrats or the republicans? The democrats who are trying to get onto their jobs?

Who wants statehood?

—Muskogee Times-Democrat.

Railroads.

Commissioner Colquitt issued an exhaustive statement on 2c passenger fare question.

Wichita Falls and Southern

provision for a largely increased ag-
ricultural appropriation to be expended in pro-
cessing under anti-trust law

United States Senator Newlands deliv-
ers an address before the National
Irrigation Congress, in session at Sacra-
mento Cal

Hearing in government suit to dis-
solve Standard Oil Company postponed
until Thursday


To the Voter of the 23rd Senatorial
District:

I am a candidate on the republican
ticket for state senator from the 23rd
senatorial district, composing the coun-
ties of Pontotoc and Seminole.

I respectfully solicit the vote and in-
fluence of all persons who believe in
sound government, economical adminis-
tration and a square deal for every
person, regardless of his political af-
filiation or condition in life.

My residence in the Indian Ter-
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W J Beatty, Graduate Optician, lately of St. Louis, has been employed in our store and will be pleased to attend to your eye troubles.

SPRAGUE BROS.

Andrew Carnegie

Says the best way to accumulate money is to resolutely save and bank a fixed portion of your income, no matter how small the amount.

Suppose you follow the advice of Carnegie who started in life poor and open an account with

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

PERSONAL MENTION

Have you registered?

H C Rosteen was here from Byars.

White Wonder Flour never fails to please.

B R Polk and wife of Pauls Valley are registered at the Harris.

Ask your neighbor about White Wonder Flour.

Buck Marshall and wife were in the city today.

Have you tried White Wonder pure soft wheat flour?

C C Nash made a business pilgrimage to Francis.

A L Martin of the Egypt neighborhood was in the city today.

Your grocer is instructed to guarantee White Wonder soft wheat flour.

H. A. Kroeger of Francis, republican nominee for county judge, spent last night in the city.

If your grocer does not handle White Wonder Flour have him get it for you. Don't take any substitute.

J E Stanley, a well known farmer and fruit grower of Sulphur, was here today. He has been informed that he was recently elected to an office in some horticultural association but fears he is not qualified for any office for the reason he does not know how to graft anything but fruit trees.

W C Duncan and family have gone to Bonham for several days' visit with relatives.

"Mike Mosquito" makes the mosquito skidoo. 25c Guaranteed at Gwin, Mays & Co. 140-4t

Professor A L Benton and son Whitman of Lawton were visiting in the county seat today.

Gus Bobbitt and family returned from Oklahoma City where they heard Bryan speak last night. Gus now he believes even stronger than ever that William Jennings Bryan is the biggest man in the world.

"We run a DRUG STORE and nothing more" Gwin, Mays & Co. 135-10t

H E Wark and T B Hattell are in Midland tonight looking after the statewide prohibition interest.

"HILL MOSQUITO" lotion makes mosquitoes skidoo. 25c guaranteed at Gwin Mays & Co. 140-5t

Mrs. Cloyd has moved her dress-making parlors to Cox-Greer-McDonald store where she will be glad to see all friends and patrons. 140-1t

Stephen D Johnson younger brother of the Farmers Johnson left this morning to take his finishing year in the Ohio military institute near Cincinnati.

There's smokers satisfaction in the G M C Special and Pontotoc 5c cigars at Gwin Mays & Co. 140-5t

C M Grant of Vinita and M L Creel of Pryor Creek two prominent contractors of the east side are taking a look at Ada's growth and investigating building material conditions.

Do it now! Too late Friday night after nine o'clock!

Register!

Today's Market.

Cotton.

New Orleans futures two points down New York unchanged Spots unchanged.

New Orleans at 13 3-16.

New York at 1355.

Wheat went up a cent and a half a bushel.

Notice.

I will begin teaching music in South Ada September 16. My room will be two doors north of the school building in the Reed home. Will begin teaching in North Ada the 17th. My music room will be in Rev Cassidays residence.

144-2t

Lillian Harrell



DON'T FORGET THE BABIES

Our candies are guaranteed pure under the Food and Drugs Act June 30, 1906.

The little fellows can hardly believe their eyes, for you know we still 20c and 25c candy at 12c a pound.

The following just in.

Cream Dates, Coconut Bon Bons, Ice Cream Kisses, Peppermint Kisses, Wild Cherry Gum Drops, Cream Chocolate, Coconut Ice Berries, Cream Fudge, Marshmallow Drops, Fruit Drops, etc. Try for yourself, only 12c a pound.

The bell will soon be summoning the youngsters back to school. The beginning of school always means a decided added expense for the children's outfitting. We intend to maintain the reputation of this store as headquarters for school books, and school supplies. How much you can save the prices will show.

Tablets, perforated and wire stapled, 200 pages, 5c. Bargains in Pencils, some extra good ones at 2 for 5c, 3 for 5c, and at 5 for 5c.

Slates, 5c, 10c, and 14c.

Composition Books, both for pencil and pen kind, 5c and 10c.

Ink, the reliable Curtis, Standfords and Livison brands, 5c a bottle.

We are school headquarters—more this year than ever.

The Nickel Store

AND CHINA HALL.

The 5c and 10c Store of Ada

C M SHAW, Prop.

Have your grocer send you a sack of White Wonder Flour.

137-1t

WANT PERIL REMOVED.

Citizens Urge Council to Have Removed Large Store of Combustibles.

Fearing a disastrous conflagration may result from the storage of a large quantity of coal oil and gasoline in an old building located on a prominent corner of the city a number of the citizens are importuning the officers to abate the nuisance. The following petition has been presented to the city council.

TO THE HONORABLE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ADA:

Your petitioners, citizens of the City of Ada, respectfully represent to your honorable body that there is now stored in the old building situated on the southeast corner of Townsend avenue and Twelfth street a large quantity of COAL OIL and GASOLINE and that the same endangers the lives and property of the people of the City of Ada.

Therefore your petitioners pray that your honorable body take such steps as are necessary to have the same removed to some point where it will not endanger the lives and property of the citizens and residents of Ada.

Respectfully submitted

S K Smith J W Peay

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I S Hackett

In explanation of the city's tardiness in taking action in this matter Mayor Barton makes the following statement:

The city officers can't make an arrest without an ordinance prohibiting such a nuisance. There exists no common law jurisdiction I have called recently three special meetings of the council. The last time there were only five members present. It requires six councilmen present to suspend the rules and pass an ordinance at a special meeting. Another meeting has been called for Monday night September 9th at 8 o'clock and I trust that all aldermen will attend.

The officers stand ready to act promptly as soon as the ordinance is passed.

Tenor Horn.

I have a C G Conn silver tenor horn that cost sixty dollars when it was new that I will sell cheap. Almost new.

Mrs P J Hollow

The Ladies of the Maccabees will meet Saturday afternoon at 3 30. All members are especially asked to be present.

Mrs I B McKeown

Lady Commander

Owing to the delicate health of my little daughter I will sell at my home on East 12th street through the fall season. I will appreciate the patronage of my friends and customers and give them the same service I have always given them which has always been my very best. Mrs Dunstan 140-2t

Mr and Mrs H H Smith who have been visiting their daughter Mrs M S Smith the last week left today for their home in Dodge City. They were accompanied by Master Benjamin Moss, who will visit with them awhile.

Wanted.

A position is offered for general house work. Call on Mrs U G Winn, corner of Rennie and Seventeenth street. 143-2t

Notice of Sale

Under and by virtue of an order made by the United States Court in and for the Southern District of the Indian Territory, I will on the 27th day of September, 1907, between the hours of 12 o'clock, noon and two o'clock in the afternoon, at the door of the Court House of the United States Court, at Ada, Indian Territory, at public sale, for not less than three-fourths of its appraised value, on a credit of three months, with a bond from the purchaser, with good surety, to be approved by me, and a lien retained on the property for its price, sell the interest of Virgie Walton in the lands and premises described as follows, to wit:

The northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section twenty-eight, and the northwest quarter of section thirty-two, in township 3 north, range eight east, of the Indian Base and Meridian, in the Indian Territory.

Dated this 2nd day of September, 1907.

A. M. Jackson, Guardian of Virgie Walton, a minor.

We keep a full line of prescription goods. We know how and can fill any prescription. We don't substitute. We deliver.

Crescent Drug Store

Dr. F. Z. Holley, Prop.

Gasoline Engine for Sale. I have a good two horse power gasoline engine for sale cheap. Pumping Jack attached. L J Crowder. 140-6t 31-1t

ADA MEAT MARKET

South Broadway

APPRECIATES YOUR PATRONAGE.

A. W. White has just assumed entire management of the Ada Meat Market. Best of FRESH and CURED MEATS and HOME RENDERED LARD. Courteous treatment, fair dealing.

A W WHITE, Proprietor.

Your Pipe Dreams

Can easily come true if you dream of replacing your strong old pipe with something better. We have a lot of new pipes and it is a fine assortment. Come in and see what choice we can give for 25c, and a wide variety of other pipes up to \$12.00.

Gwin, Mays & Co.

THE DRUGGISTS

We run a drug store and nothing more.

LIKE MEXICAN CHILE?

At the Mexican Chile Parlor, just opposite Dorland Hotel, you can get the best made. Louis Lopez, the proprietor, and Delgado, the famous chile maker of Dallas, jointly secured. First Prize at the St. Louis Exposition in the chile making contest open to the world. Try a dish of Louis' make then you'll take some home to the family.

Also Short Orders and cold drinks served.

NEW CASH GROCERY

On East Main Street

17 lbs granulated sugar	\$1.00
5 lb golden syrup	\$1.00
Black Bear tobacco plug	10
1 doz 1 1/2 gal fruit jars	70
1 doz qt fruit jars	60
1 doz pint fruit jars	50

Call and see us.

G. S. ALDRICH PROPRIETOR

PHONE NO. 64 when in need of want transferring done

Houser & Johnson

GALVESTON EXCURSION



Sept. 8th.

Ada to Galveston and return \$2.00. On Sale September 8th, good going on special train leaving Ada 11:10 a. m. good returning on all regular trains until September 18.

C. F. ORCHARD, Agt.



When you want to enjoy a good appetizing meal at a moderate charge, come to the

English Kitchen

Everything strictly first class and clean. Once you eat here you'll become a regular patron.

LEADING PROFESSIONAL MEN

FURMAN & CROXTON

ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW. Will do a general Civil and Criminal Practice. Office in Duncan Building.

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President Roosevelt Said:

"Texas is the Garden Spot of the Lord"

95,000 Acres Ranch of Dr. Chas. F. Simmons
Now On the Market.

Here is Your Opportunity to Buy a Farm of from 10 Acres to 640 and
Two Town Lots in This "Garden Spot" for \$210. Pay-
able \$10 per Month Without Interest.

Investigation will show that this 95,000-acre ranch comprises one of the finest bodies of Agricultural and Truck Farming land in the entire state, commanding about 36 miles south of San Antonio and about two miles south of Pleasanton (the county seat of Atascosa County), and extending through Atascosa and a part of McMullen Counties, to within 17 miles of my 60,000-acre Live Oak County Ranch, which I in four months last year, sold to 4,000 Home Seekers, on liberal terms, without interest on deferred payments, which gives the poor man, from his savings, a chance to secure a good farm and town lot for his home to town. I will donate and turn over to three bonded Trustees, \$250,000 from the proceeds of the sale of this property to the purchasers, as a bonus to the first railroad built through this property on the line which I shall designate.

This property is located on that middle plain between East Texas, where it rains too much, and the arid section of West Texas, where it does not rain enough.

Its close proximity to San Antonio, the largest city in the State, with a claimed population of over 100,000, enhances its value as a market for Agricultural and Truck farm products far beyond the value of similar land not so favorably located.

Topography.

Level to slightly rolling. Large, broad, rich valleys, encircled by elevations suitable for homes; 90 per cent. fine farming land, balance pasture land.

Forestry.

Ash, Elm, Gum, Hackberry, Live Oak, Mesquite, Pecan, abundant for shade, fencing and wood.

Soil.

About 60 per cent. rich, dark, sandy loam, balance chocolate or red sandy loam, usually preferred by local farmers, and each with soil averaging from 2 to 4 feet deep, with clay subsoil, which holds water.

Climate.

Mild, balmy, healthy, practically free from malaria, few frosts, no snow, no hard freezes; continuous sea breeze moderates extremes of heat and cold, producing warm winters and cool summers. Average temperature about 62 degrees.

Rainfall.

From the Government record, it is safe to assume that the rainfall on this property has been fully 35 inches per year, which is more than some of the old States have had, and is plentiful for ordinary crops properly cultivated, and for Grass Growing.

Improvements and Water.

This property is fenced and cross-fenced in many large and small pastures, with four barbed wires, with posts about 12 feet apart. Also a number of fine shallow wells.

Also a number of fine Lakes and Tanks.

Also, a number of fine flowing Artesian Wells, whose crystal streams flow for miles and miles down those creeks, whose broad, rich valleys, irrigable from those continuously flowing streams, make it the ideal place for the Marketing Gardener who desires to raise from two to three crops of marketable produce on the same ground every year.

Farming and Truck Farming.

Seasons never end.

This land is adapted to profitable culture of Beans, Cabbage, Celery, Cucumbers, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Beets, Carrots, Onions, Radish, Squash, Strawberries, Cauliflower, Okra, Oyster Plant, Peas, Raspberries, Turnips, Apricots, Cantaloupes, Grapes, Irish Potatoes, Olives, Sweet Potatoes, Figs, Bananas, Dates, English Walnuts, Flax, Melons, Peanuts, Barley, Blackberries, Broom Corn, Lemons, Plums, Tobacco, Alfalfa, Rye, Oranges, Peaches, Pecans, Corn, Cotton, Oats, Wheat, Apples, Pears.

Page 63 of the book entitled "Beautiful San Antonio," officially issued by the Business Men's Club of San Antonio, dated May, 1906, says:

"It is readily conceded by all those who know anything about Texas that the most prolific agricultural section is that which recognizes San Antonio as its logical center, particularly that portion directly south of San Antonio, with the Gulf of Mexico bordering on the southeast and the Rio Grande bordering on the south and west.

"Within the last four or five years, in the territory named, special attention has been given to growing vegetables, they maturing at a time when they secure the maximum prices on Northern markets, which markets they virtually invade without a competitor. The profit in growing vegetables in this territory will be seen by an examination of the following figures, secured from reliable sources, showing Net Earnings Per Acre:

- "Watermelons from \$75.00 to \$200.00.
- "Cantaloupes from \$40.00 to \$75.00.
- "Cabbage from \$125.00 to \$225.00.
- "Cauliflower from \$75.00 to \$225.00.
- "Beans and Peas from \$100.00 to \$125.00.
- "Tomatoes from \$125.00 to \$400.00.
- "Potatoes from \$60.00 to \$160.00.
- "Onions from \$150.00 to \$300.00.
- "Tobacco Peppers from \$500.00 to \$900.00 per acre.
- "The Chicago Record-Herald publishing the following individual experiences in South Texas:
- "Men who came here with \$500 and \$600 a few years ago are now independently rich.
- "A young man who came to this

country for his health, bought 13 acres and in one year cleared over \$6,000 from it, which was \$333.33 per acre.

"Another man, 65 years old, from 79 acres, sold \$5,000 worth of produce, from which he realized \$63.29 per acre and then raised a Cotton crop on part of it, which made him \$35 per acre, which made the same land net him \$98.29 per acre for that year.

"Another man from 80 acres in 1904 realized as follows: From Onions, \$2,256.91; from Cotton, \$1,800; 200 bushels Corn; 12 tons Hay; 5,000 pounds Sweet Potatoes.

"Another made \$3,200 from five acres of early Cabbage, which was \$640 per acre, and grew a second crop of Corn and Peas on the same ground that year.

"Another realized \$27,000 from 90 car loads of Cabbage, averaging \$300 per car, which was \$270.69 from each of the 130 acres he had planted.

"Another netted, above all expenses, \$60 per acre on Potatoes, and planted the same ground in Cotton that year from which he realized \$35 per acre, which made that ground yield him \$95 per acre.

"Another realized \$32,966 from 230 acres in Melons, which was \$143.33 per acre.

"Another netted \$21,000 from 35 acres in Onions, which was \$600 per acre.

"Another netted \$17,445, or \$79.25 per acre from nine cuttings of 220 acres in Alfalfa, which yielded in one year 2,475 tons and sold at \$11 per ton.

"Another received \$900 from one acre in Cauliflower; sown in July, transplanted in August, and marketed in December."

The same authority quotes the following statement from the Hon. Joseph D. Bailey, of Chillicothe, Ill., who owns thousands of acres in the Illinois Corn Belt. He says:

"I am one of the heaviest taxpayers on farm lands in Mason and Tazewell Counties, Illinois, and I have been familiar with the conditions around San Antonio for 12 years. Any thrifty farmer can get rich, and make more money off of this cheap land, acre for acre, than any land in the State of Illinois, that sells from \$150 to \$225 per acre."

Come to the land of beautiful sunshine and almost perpetual harvest.

Where the people are prosperous, happy and contented.

Where the flowers bloom ten months in the year.

Where the farmers and gardeners, whose seasons never end, eat home-grown June vegetables in January, and bask in mid-winter's balmy air and glorious sunshine.

Where the land yield is enormous and the prices remunerative.

Where something can be planted and harvested every month in the year.

Where the climate is so mild that the Northern farmer here save practically all his fuel bills and three-fourths the cost of clothing his family in the North.

Where the country is advancing and property values rapidly increasing.

Where all stock, without any feed, fatten winter and summer, on the native grasses and brush.

Where the same land yields the substantial of the temperate and the luxuries of the tropic zones.

Where the farmer does not have to work hard six months in the year to raise feed to keep his stock from dying during the winter, as they do in the North and Northwest.

Where there are no aristocrats and people do not have to work hard to have plenty and go in the best society.

Where the natives work less and have more to show for what they do than in any country in the United States.

Where houses, barns and fences can be built for less than half the cost in the North.

Where sunstrokes and heat prostrations are unknown.

Where sufferers with Asthma, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Hay Fever and Throat Troubles find relief.

Where, surrounded by fruits and vegetables, which ripen every month in the year, the living is better and less expensive than in the North.

Where the water is pure, soft and plentiful.

Where the taxes are so low that the amount is never missed.

Where Public and Private Schools and Churches of all denominations are plentiful.

Where peace, plenty and good will prevail.

Where it is so healthy that there are few physicians and most of them, to make a living supplement their income from other business.

\$1,000 Reward will be paid to any one proving that any statement in this advertisement is not true. Write for literature and name of nearest agent.

C. F. SIMMONS,
215 Alamo Plaza - San Antonio, Texas

Case of Necessity.
Maud—I thought you had made Jack swear off smoking cigarettes.
Ethel—I did. But I had to let him begin again. I couldn't think of a thing to give him for Christmas that didn't have something to do with tobacco.—LIFE

AROUND THE CIRCLE

HOW THE PRACTICE OF HOME TRADE HELPS EVERYBODY.

THE RESULT OF ADVERTISING

An Increased Use of Printers' Ink in the Local Paper Brought Prosperity to the Entire Community.

"You'll have to stay over Sunday, Mary, so I can have a chance for a visit with you. Can't possibly get the time through the week. Business too lively."

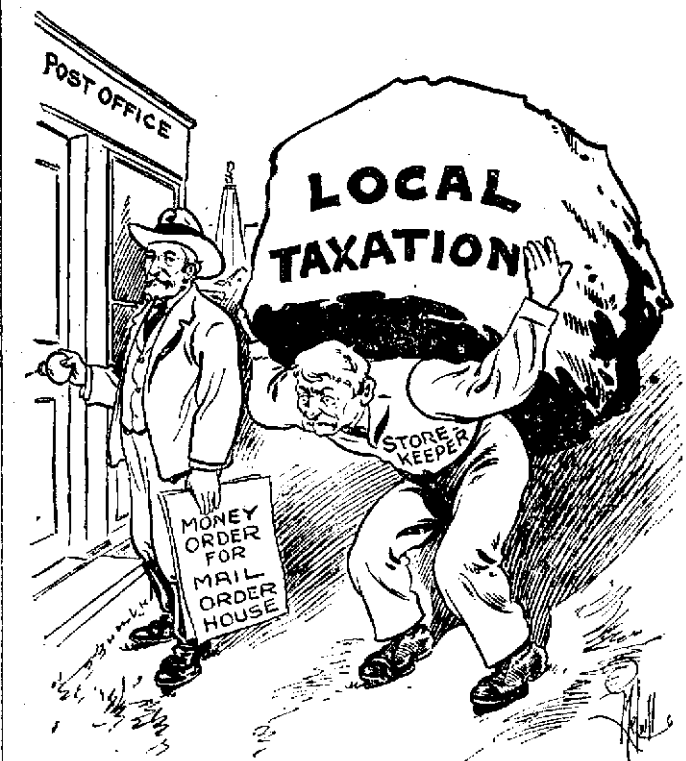
"Things must be getting better with you, John. Last time I was here you seemed to have lots of time to spare. Said business had gone to the dogs, or rather to the mail-order houses. What made the change?"

"Well, to tell the truth, Mary, I just wakened up one day and thought I would give them fellows in the city a little of their own medicine. I got onto the fact that they were killing me by feeding the people around here on printer's ink in the way of advertising, and while I know most of what they said was lies the people didn't know it, and I started in to show them what I could do. Not at

ing they voted me a raise in salary for the coming year. In a talk made by Brother Jones he explained that this was possible because the people were keeping their money at home rather than sending it to the catalogue houses of the cities. Brother Frank (the post-master) explained that the money order business of his office had dropped, to almost nothing within the past six months. He said that less than a year ago he was handling more than \$1,000 each month in the shape of money orders, and that now the total is not one-fourth of that. I understand that they will also increase the school teacher's salary next term."

"A 12-page paper this week? I see. Anything special doing?"

"Not at all. That's to be the regular size of the Record in the future. The increase in business warrants it. The campaign of advertising being conducted by the merchants forced me to increase the size or encroach upon my reading matter columns, and so I increased. Then, too, my subscription list is growing. People who never took the paper before say they want it now for nothing more than to keep posted on the prices the merchants are quoting. Business in the Record office is booming all around. I have had to advertise for two more job printers, and have just ordered a new printing press. By the way, is that horse you offered me some time ago still on the



The local merchant who must bear the burden of local taxation is entitled to the assistance of every resident of the community. When you send your dollars to the mail-order houses of the city you but add to the load he must carry. Keep your dollars at home.

lying, you know, but at selling good goods as cheap as the city fellows did, and lots of times a little cheaper.

"I went to the local paper and pretty near scared the editor to death by ordering a half page of each issue for six months. Then I set about seeing what I had to sell that the people would want. I really didn't know what was in that store until I started to look it over. Some of the things had been there so long I had forgotten about them. I hauled them out and put a bargain sale price on them, told the people about them in the next week's Record, and gave the prices, and say, I just couldn't get them things wrapped up fast enough. Ever since then I've just been buying and selling, buying and selling. Seems like nothing stays in the store. Have hired two more clerks, and they're everlastingly telling me we're out of this, that or the other thing. I found that telling the people what you've got and what you are willing to sell them for pays. I've paid off that mortgage that's been hanging over us for the last ten years, and gave \$100 to the new church building besides, and it's advertising that did it.

"You'll stay over Sunday, won't you? I've got to get to the store now."

"Jones ordered a new delivery wagon this morning, Jane. Said since the folks around here had started to trade at home and quit sending so much money to the mail-order houses he simply had to have it. You can have what I make on that wagon to get that new dress with that you've been wanting. Wish you'd buy it of Jones though for he always trades with me."

"Yes, sir, I figure I'm ahead a little more than the freight on that buggy, beside, I intended to send away for mine, too, like you did, but I saw Brown's advertisement telling the kind of a buggy he had and the price, and I concluded I'd look at it first. He's making better prices than the catalogue fellows, and he's paying the freight besides. I figure that I saved just about enough on that buggy to pay the doctor's bill for Molly's sickness, and then, besides, Brown ordered his bay of me, and he's paying a good price for it, too."

market? If so you can bring him around. I want him for a birthday present for my wife."

WRIGHT A. PATTERSON.

TEN GOOD REASONS.

Read Them and Patronize the Merchants of This Town.

Here are ten good reasons for trading with your home business people, as given by an exchange.

Because: You examine your purchase and are assured of satisfaction before investing your money.

Because: Your home merchant is always ready and willing to make right any error or any defective article purchased of him.

Because: When you are sick or for any reason it is necessary for you to ask for credit, you can go to the local merchant. Could you ask it of a mail order house?

Because: If a merchant is willing to extend you credit you should give him the benefit of your cash trade.

Because: Your home merchant pays local taxes and exerts every effort to build and better your market, thus increasing both the value of city and country property.

Because: The mail order merchant does not lighten your taxes or in any way hold the value of your property.

Because: The mail order merchant does nothing for the benefit of markets or real estate values.

Because: If your town is good enough to live in it is good enough to spend money in.—Gov. Folk of Missouri.

Because: The best citizens in your community patronize home industry. Why not be one of the best citizens?

Because: If you give your home merchant an opportunity to compete, by bringing your order to him in the quantities you buy out of town, he will demonstrate that, quality considered, he will save you money.

Search for Old Cannon.

A tradition still survives in Luzerne county, Pa., that when Gen. John Sullivan marched through that region in 1779 on his expedition against the Indian confederacy of central New York, he buried some superlative brass cannon along the Wilkes-Barre mountain. To search for these revolutionary relics a number of the best known citizens of Ashley have formed themselves into an historical society. One recent Sunday the members scoured the mountain in the vicinity of Laurel Run, but could find no relics except a few Indian arrow points.

Fine-Looking Royal Couple.

The king and queen of Denmark are indeed a regal-looking couple. King Frederick is a giant in stature, while his consort is the tallest royal woman in Europe. She is also the richest, having inherited a great deal of property from her father, the late King Charles of Sweden, besides the immense fortune of her mother, who was one of the richest heiresses of the nineteenth century. Her majesty is deeply religious.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

With LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease, Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quick medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrh. Send for testimonials, free. Sold by DRUGGISTS and Grocers. J. C. HENRY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

The Disadvantages of Schools.

"Why have you taken your son out of school without asking permission?" Father (a grocer)—But they were ruining him; I wish to bring him up to carry on my business, and they were teaching him that there are 18 ounces in a pound.—Translated for Transatlantic Tales from Li Motto per Ridere.

We Reiterate.

That for more than fifteen years Hunt's Cure has been working on the afflicted. Its mission is to cure skin troubles, particularly those of an itching character. Its success is not on account of advertising, but because it surely does the work. One box is guaranteed to cure any case.

Monopolizing Them.

Miss Passay—Many young girls nowadays are positively awful. The idea of one being engaged to two young men at the same time. It's simply shameful!

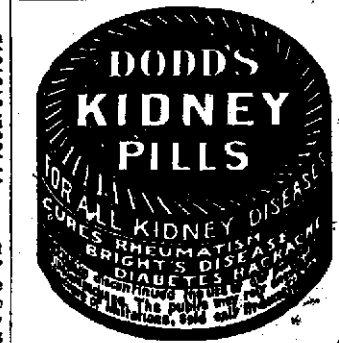
Miss Pert (maliciously)—And it's aggravating, too, isn't it?

Weak men tremble at the world's opinion, fools defy it, wise men judge it.—La Rochefoucauld.

Women would have but little use for minds and complexions if it were impossible to change them.

A certain, safe and quick remedy for Itching Piles is Hunt's Cure.

Pawnbrokers are able to see the silver lining of your clouds.



SICK HEADACHE

Positively cured by these Little Pills. They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Bile, Headache, Dizziness, Nausea, Vomiting, Sour Stomach, Acidity, and all the other ailments of the Bowels. SMALL PILL. SMALL DOSE. SMALL PRICE.



MOTHERHOOD

The first requisite of a good mother is good health, and the experience of maternity should not be approached without careful physical preparation, as a woman who is in good physical condition transmits to her children the blessings of a good constitution.

Preparation for healthy maternity is accomplished by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which is made from native roots and herbs, more successfully than by any other medicine because it gives tone and strength to the entire feminine organism, curing displacements, ulceration and inflammation, and the result is less suffering and more children healthy at birth. For more than thirty years



MRS. JAMES CHESTER

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

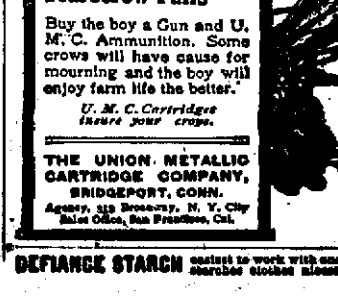
has been the standby of American mothers in preparing for childbirth. Notwithstanding Mrs. James Chester, of 427 W. 34th St., New York says in this letter: "Dear Mrs. Pinkham: I wish every expectant mother knew about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. A neighbor who had learned of its great value at this trying period of a woman's life urged me to try it and I did so, and I cannot say enough in regard to the good it did me. I recovered quickly and am in the best of health now."

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is certainly a successful remedy for the peculiar weaknesses and ailments of women.

It has cured almost every form of Female Complaints, Dragging Sensations, Weak Back, Falling and Displacements, Inflammation, Ulcerations and Organic Diseases of Women and is invaluable in preparing for Childbirth and during the Change of Life.

Mrs. Pinkham's Standing Invitation to Women

Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to write Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. Her advice is free.



NEW WHEAT LANDS IN THE CANADIAN WEST



THE COUNTRY HAS NO SUPERIOR

Coal, wood and water in abundance; churches and schools convenient; markets easy of access; taxes low; climate the best in the northern temperate zone. Law and order prevail everywhere. For advice and information direct to the SUPERINTENDENT OF IMMIGRATION, Ottawa, Canada, or any authorized Canadian Government Agent.

J. S. CRAWFORD, No. 125 W. Ninth Street, Kansas City, Missouri.



The Diplomatist.
It used to be said that a diplomatist was a man who was sent abroad to lie for his country. To-day it would be much nearer the truth to say that a diplomatist is a man who is sent abroad to tell the truth for his country. A most interesting account has recently been given of the petition for better treatment of the Jews, and the protest against the Kishinev massacre. In order to gratify the signers of the petition, the state department forwarded it to Ambassador McCormick at St. Petersburg, although well aware that the Russian government could take no official cognizance of it. When the paper was laid on the table before Count Lamsdorf, he said, "You know I cannot receive this." Then, according to the story which is reported by Cullier's, Mr. McCormick replied, "Let us talk for a few minutes as man to man. You are Count Lamsdorf, and I am not an ambassador, but merely Mr. McCormick. The time has come when you can no longer disregard public opinion. The whole world is aroused. Do me the great favor personally, or keeping this for two or three days. Then if you are still of the same mind, send it back to me and no more will be said." In the end Count Lamsdorf showed the petition to the czar, who was sufficiently impressed by it to ameliorate somewhat the condition of the Jews.

Science Vs. Charlatanism.
Nothing in years has made the chemists rage together so furiously as the exploited "discovery" of a compound which will make ashes burn better than coal. Of one formula—we are aware that this was not the first tried in a hotel boiler room the other day—Prof. Gill, of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, says, "It contains nothing, nor can it make anything, that in any way will aid combustion." Even if the inventor's preposterous theory of its working be accepted, the professor says that the heating capacity of a gallon of the mixture would be about equal to that of a piece of coal the size of a pea. "Why," the scientific men all ask, "does this piece of charlatanism get itself spread broadcast over the country when discoveries of real scientific importance go unheralded?" We do not know of any reason which would not apply equally to medical nostrums. They create sensations because of the prodigious value they would have if they were only real. The inventors of ash-burning formulae, remarks the New York Post, might well ask their academic critics to point to any achievement of science within, say, 25 years that would benefit directly and indirectly so many people as a method for burning ashes.

Naming the Spanish baby the prince of the Asturias is just a temporary arrangement until the geographers and the philologists can get together and, with the aid of relays of stenographers, fix up a permanent name for the helpless infant. The real and official name of a Spanish king is like a Chinese play. You read part of it to-day and come back to-morrow and the day after to get the rest. It embraces everything that the historians can think of and a few more smooth-sounding words thrown in for good measure. One would judge from reading the official title of King Alfonso XIII., for instance, that he was the supreme ruler of the earth, the air, the waters under the earth and New Mexico, Alaska, Patagonia and all intermediate points. If you will notice their photographs show that nearly all the recent kings of Spain were stooped-shouldered. That came from trying to carry their full names around with them.

One of the modern improvements in mail service which the United States government has been foremost in adopting is the establishment of "sea post offices." This means the providing of facilities on ocean-going steamers by which mail is assorted on board and delivery thereby expedited. It is represented that mail thus disposed of reaches the intended destination 12 hours earlier than by the old system. Postmaster General Meyer approves the plan and contemplates extension of the arrangement. He is preparing to create at least two more of these "post offices" on vessels carrying American mail to Europe, the result of which will be highly pleasing to postal patrons.

The German press is strongly opposed to the Kaiser's fifth son making a tour of America, saying that "only evil can come to him in that land of dollars and machines." Can it be that the prowess of our automobiles has extended to the Fatherland?

A man out in Montana predicts that the world will come to an end in ten days, and is selling off his property in anticipation of the coming finale. But what does he propose to do with the money?

A WONDERFUL GAIN.
A Utah Pioneer Tells a Remarkable Story.

J. W. Browning, 1011 22d St., Ogden, Utah, a pioneer who crossed the plains in 1848, says: "Five years ago the doctors said I had diabetes. My kidneys were all out of order, I had to rise often at night, looked sallow, felt dull and listless and had lost 40 pounds. My back ached and I had spells of rheumatism and dizziness. Doan's Kidney Pills relieved me of these troubles and have kept me well for a year past. Though 75 years old, I am in good health."
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Hard to Realize.
"Mother," said a college student who had brought his chum home for the holidays, "permit me to present my friend, Mr. Specknoodle."
His mother, who was a little hard of hearing, placed her hand to her ear. "I'm sorry, George, but I didn't quite catch your friend's name. You'll have to speak a little louder, I'm afraid."
"I say, mother," shouted George, "I want to present Mr. Specknoodle."
"I'm sorry, George, but Mr. — What was the name again?"
"Mr. Specknoodle!" George fairly yelled.
The old lady shook her head sadly. "I'm sorry, George, but I'm afraid it's no use. It sounds just like Specknoodle to me." Everybody's Magazine.

SORES AS BIG AS PENNIES.
Whole Head and Neck Covered—Hair All Came Out—Cured in Three Weeks by Cuticura.

"After having the measles my whole head and neck were covered with sealy sores about as large as a penny. They were just as thick as they could be. My hair all came out. I let the trouble run along, taking the doctor's blood remedies and rubbing on salve, but it did not seem to get any better. It stayed that way for about six months; then I got a set of the Cuticura Remedies, and in about a week I noticed a big difference, and in three weeks it was well entirely and I have not had the trouble any more, and as this was seven years ago, I consider myself cured. Mrs. Henry Porter, Albion, Neb., Aug. 25, 1906."

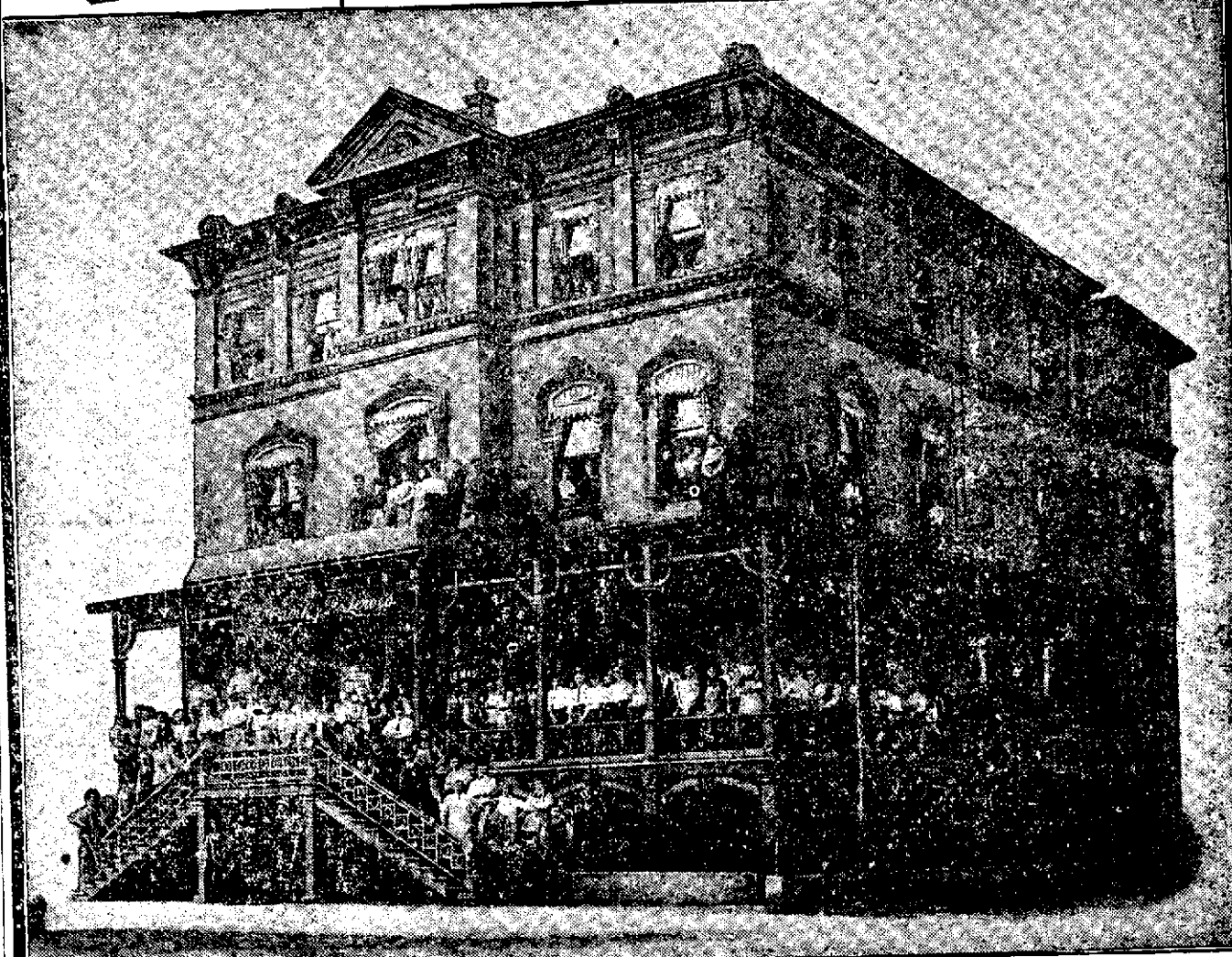
Royal Scion Does Good Work.
The duke of Abruzzi, now a visitor in this country, pronounced it as though it were spelled "Ah-broo-zee," with the accent on the second syllable. Although only 34 years old, he has done a deal of hard work and has had many hazardous experiences. He is the son of a Spanish king who abdicated under pressure. The son early in life took service in the Italian navy. Then he went in for exploration and mountaineering and in such pursuits has traveled all over the world. The duke has written acceptably of his wanderings and has won honors for several scientific societies.

Where He Met Him.
He was one of those smart men who like to show their cleverness. "Watch me take a rise out of him," he said, as the tramp approached. Then he listened solemnly to the tale of hard luck.
"That's the same old story you told me the last time you accosted me," he said, when the vagrant had finished. "Is it?" was the answering question. "When did I tell it to you?"
"Last week."
"Mebbe I did, mebbe I did," admitted the tramp. "I'd forgotten meeting you. I was in jail all last week."

An Ill Wind, Etc.
"Her marriage was very unfortunate, wasn't it?" "Oh, no; she considers it quite fortunate." "Why, I understand she was divorced." "Exactly," and her divorce was the opening of her stage career, which is now very promising.

CHILDREN SHOWED IT
Effect of Their Warm Drink in the Morning.

"A year ago I was a wreck from coffee drinking and was on the point of giving up my position in the school room because of nervousness. "I was telling a friend about it and she said, 'We drink nothing at meal time but Postum Food Coffee, and it is such a comfort to have something we can enjoy drinking with the children.' "I was astonished that she would allow the children to drink any kind of coffee, but she said Postum was the most healthful drink in the world for children as well as for older ones, and that the condition of both the children and adults showed that to be a fact. "My first trial was a failure. The cook boiled it four or five minutes and it tasted so flat that I was in despair but determined to give it one more trial. This time we followed the directions and boiled it fifteen minutes after the boiling began. It was a decided success and I was completely won by its rich delicious flavor. In a short time I noticed a decided improvement in my condition and kept growing better and better month after month, until now I am perfectly healthy, and do my work in the school room with ease and pleasure. I would not return to the nerve-destroying regular coffee for any money." "There's a Reason." Read the famous little "Health Classic," "The Road to Wellville," in pgs.



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<input type="checkbox"/> For State Senator Twenty-third District U. G. Winn	<input type="checkbox"/> For State Senator Twenty-third District Reuben M. Roddie	<input type="checkbox"/> For State Senator Twenty-third District
<input type="checkbox"/> For Joint Representative Don R. Frasier	<input type="checkbox"/> For Joint Representative E. S. Ratliff	<input type="checkbox"/> For Joint Representative
<input type="checkbox"/> For District Judge Seventh District James M. Humphrey	<input type="checkbox"/> For District Judge Seventh District A. T. West	<input type="checkbox"/> For District Judge Seventh District
<input type="checkbox"/> For Representative Joseph J. Burton	<input type="checkbox"/> For Representative Frank Huddleston	<input type="checkbox"/> For Representative W. A. Balmain
<input type="checkbox"/> For Judge of County Court H. A. Kroeger	<input type="checkbox"/> For Judge of County Court Joel Terrell	<input type="checkbox"/> For Judge of County Court
<input type="checkbox"/> For County Attorney A. L. Bullock	<input type="checkbox"/> For County Attorney Robert Whimbish	<input type="checkbox"/> For County Attorney J. B. Vandiver
<input type="checkbox"/> For Clerk of District Court A. H. Constant	<input type="checkbox"/> For Clerk of District Court W. T. Cox	<input type="checkbox"/> For Clerk of District Court W. A. Lee
<input type="checkbox"/> For County Clerk W. F. Harrison	<input type="checkbox"/> For County Clerk W. S. Kerr	<input type="checkbox"/> For County Clerk Rees Palmer
<input type="checkbox"/> For Sheriff E. W. Morris	<input type="checkbox"/> For Sheriff T. J. Smith	<input type="checkbox"/> For Sheriff T. M. Myers
<input type="checkbox"/> For County Treasurer A. L. Nims	<input type="checkbox"/> For County Treasurer J. C. Cates	<input type="checkbox"/> For County Treasurer W. C. Jones
<input type="checkbox"/> For Register of Deeds A. M. Cummings	<input type="checkbox"/> For Register of Deeds C. C. Hargis	<input type="checkbox"/> For Register of Deeds Oscar C. Butler
<input type="checkbox"/> For County Surveyor Kelly Paine	<input type="checkbox"/> For County Surveyor G. A. Truitt	<input type="checkbox"/> For County Surveyor Chas. Mauper
<input type="checkbox"/> For Superintendent of Public Instruction T. W. Kennedy	<input type="checkbox"/> For Superintendent of Public Instruction T. F. Price	<input type="checkbox"/> For Superintendent of Public Instruction A. L. Vandiver
<input type="checkbox"/> For County Weigher Alfred Summers	<input type="checkbox"/> For County Weigher Chas. A. Thomas	<input type="checkbox"/> For County Weigher J. R. Fletcher
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<input type="checkbox"/> For Clerk J. P. McKinley	<input type="checkbox"/> For Clerk Ed Haraway	<input type="checkbox"/> For Clerk
<input type="checkbox"/> For Treasurer W. M. Guest	<input type="checkbox"/> For Treasurer C. H. Rine	<input type="checkbox"/> For Treasurer
<input type="checkbox"/> For Justice of the Peace C. M. Chauncey	<input type="checkbox"/> For Justice of the Peace H. J. Brown	<input type="checkbox"/> For Justice of the Peace
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<input type="checkbox"/> For Constable T. D. Bingham	<input type="checkbox"/> For Constable J. D. Looper	<input type="checkbox"/> For Constable

No. 2. CHICKASAW TOWNSHIP

<input type="checkbox"/> For Trustee F. A. Dalley	<input type="checkbox"/> For Trustee James R. Floyd	<input type="checkbox"/> For Trustee
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<input type="checkbox"/> For Treasurer F. W. Northcutt	<input type="checkbox"/> For Treasurer G. A. South	<input type="checkbox"/> For Treasurer
<input type="checkbox"/> For Justice of the Peace J. O. McAdams	<input type="checkbox"/> For Justice of the Peace A. Gaylor	<input type="checkbox"/> For Justice of the Peace
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<input type="checkbox"/> For Constable S. M. Perry	<input type="checkbox"/> For Constable Chas. Hopkins	<input type="checkbox"/> For Constable
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<input type="checkbox"/> For Treasurer J. S. Robbins	<input type="checkbox"/> For Treasurer H. C. Stephens	<input type="checkbox"/> For Treasurer
<input type="checkbox"/> For Justice of the Peace John I. McCool	<input type="checkbox"/> For Justice of the Peace W. H. Hammond	<input type="checkbox"/> For Justice of the Peace
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No. 4. ALLENTOWNSHIP.

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No. 6. ROFF TOWNSHIP.

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No. 7. FITZHUGH TOWNSHIP.

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	<input type="checkbox"/> For Constable W. Corbin	<input type="checkbox"/> For Constable
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No. 9. MAXWELL TOWNSHIP.

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<input type="checkbox"/> For Treasurer G. T. Flemming	<input type="checkbox"/> For Treasurer
<input type="checkbox"/> For Justice of the Peace G. W. Wells	<input type="checkbox"/> For Justice of the Peace
<input type="checkbox"/> For Constable Will Robinson	<input type="checkbox"/> For Constable
	<input type="checkbox"/> For Constable J. M. Wilson

GIST OF LAW OF HOW TO VOTE

On entering the room where the election is being held the voter will announce his name to the poll clerks who will register him on the poll books, the clerk holding the ballots will then deliver to the voter three different ballots to be voted namely The ballot containing the state ticket the ballot containing the county and precinct ticket and the ballot for the adoption or rejection of statewide prohibition. The voter will then enter the booth

which may be unoccupied and cast his ballot by stamping in the circle beneath the rooster if he desires to vote the democratic ticket and in the circle beneath the eagle if he desires to vote the republican ticket and in the circle beneath (whatever device any device any other party that may be on the ticket may select if he desires to vote that ticket).

To vote a mixed ticket make a stamp in the square to the left of the name of each candidate you desire to vote for. If you desire to vote for the constitution place a stamp in front of the word "Yes". If you desire to

vote against the constitution place the stamp in front of the word "No". If you desire to vote for statewide prohibition place the stamp in the square in front of the word "Yes". If you desire to vote against statewide prohibition place the stamp in front of the word "No".

The voter will then leave the booth, fold his ballots separately so that no part of the printed ballot will be exposed, and return the stamp to the poll clerk from whom he received it and deliver the ballots to the inspector, or judge temporarily acting as inspector.

LAST CALL TO REGISTER.

When you pick up this paper tonight, if you have not yet registered for the election, drop the paper instantly, pick up your hat, and make a run for the recorder's office. The registration books will close promptly at nine o'clock tonight. At two p. m. a total of 682 voters had registered. There ought to be 100 more. Don't lose the opportunity to cast a patriot's ballot in this great election.

Marriage Licenses.

C. A. Boyd 20 and Phoebe Laura Oliver 19 Scullin
J. A. Thompson 20 and Bertha Truitt 18 Jesse
J. C. Mercer 60 Tate Arkansas and Mrs Edith Coffee, 46 Francis
Frank Norman 21 and Mable Farley, 18 Stonewall
A. W. Nye, 21, and Etta Hunn, 17, Conway

Prominent Mason in Town.

W. H. Talmage of McAlester, orator of the grand lodge A. F. and A. M., and prominent worker in Scottish Rite, is a visitor in this city today. He says the Masons will hold a big meeting in their splendid new temple at Southtown October 15-16-17. At that time a number of Ada Masons will attend and take the 32nd degree.
Mrs U. G. Winn is much better today. She is clear of fever.